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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

The Tribune's Report of the Trial

NEW YORK, May 13.—The following is the *Tribune's* report of the Beecher trial: Although the end of the trial was thought to be very near, yet there was considerable surprise yesterday when it was suddenly announced that the last witness had given his testimony, and the case on both sides was ready to be summed up and given to the jury. Judge Neilson exhibited unmixed satisfaction when Evarts announced that he rested the defense in the case. Counsel on both sides also appeared relieved, and the jurymen looked at one another and smiled as if well pleased that their long confinement is so nearly over. Reporters appeared to be ready to throw up their hats and cheer, and there were many congratulations and hand shaking among them before the opening of the afternoon session. Evarts and Beach sat for several minutes talking and joking with the jurymen. The subject of their conversation was the proposed adjournment. The jurymen were strongly desirous of going on with the case without an adjournment, but yielded finally to the wish of counsel. After the adjournment the counsel on both sides assembled in the judge's room where they had a private conference concerning the future management of the case. Beecher stood for some time after court adjourned surrounded by his friends, who shook his hand and congratulated him that the trial was so near completion. Beecher laughed and talked busily and Mrs. Beecher stood by smiling pleasantly but speaking very little. Tilton remained standing alone several minutes and did not glance in the direction of the group surrounding Beecher. He has been very busy with papers in the case during the whole trial, and his face wore an expression of relief that his work was done. He left the court house in company with his counsel after they had ended the conference with Judge Neilson. On Wednesday morning Judge Porter will begin to sum up for the defendant. He will occupy about two days with his argument, which will be devoted almost entirely to an analysis of the testimony. Evarts will follow him with another two days argument devoted to the general legal features of the case. Beach will conduct the whole final argument for the plaintiff. He will begin as soon as Evarts is finished, and will occupy about two days. It is understood that Judge Neilson's charge will not be very long, and he expects the case will be finished by the first week in June.

Grand Army Reunion.

CHICAGO, May 13.—The Grand Army reunion has attracted an immense number of strangers to the city. The visiting members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the military organizations from [illegible] parts of the country were given a formal [illegible] at the exposition building, addresses of [illegible] being delivered by Gov. Beveridge and [illegible] Calvin, and responded to by Gov. Hartranft, of [Penn]sylvania, and Gov. Evans of Massachusetts. [Tod]ay the procession paraded the principal streets, notwithstanding the weather was lowering [and fr]equent showers, were densely crowded with [illegible]. At the meeting last night letters expressing [regret] at their inability to attend were read from [Presiden]t Grant, General Sherman, Secretary Bel[knap], Admiral Porter, General W. F. Baldy Smith, [illegible] Hendricks and others. The disagreeable weather has interfered to some extent with the [illegible].

A Mail Robber Pardoned

NEW YORK, May 13.—Lawrence Habel, who pleaded guilty to the charge of robbing letter boxes in [illegible], and sentenced to three years imprisonment at hard labor, was pardoned yesterday by the [President], upon the recommendation of Lyman [illegible] D. Wilbur and H. W. Barry, of Chicago.

Panama and Pacific Mail still at Outs.

NEW YORK, May 13.—There is much doubt as to [what] will become of the negotiations between the [Panama] and Pacific Mail companies. Although the friends of each side insist that there is no serious obstacle to a satisfactory understanding, and that the delay in reaching that end will be but temporary, negotiations were yesterday said to be off entirely.

No further Fraud Developments.

CHICAGO, May 13.—There are no new developments in the matter of the seized distilleries. They [are] all in the hands of government custodians.

Specie Drift.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Specie shipments to-day [illegible],000, of which $350,000 was gold coin.

Sales of Gold

NEW YORK, May 13.—Bids for gold to-day amounted to $[illegible]5,000, and ranged from 115 1-100 to 115 6-100. [One] million was awarded at 115 [illegible]-100 to 115 [illegible].

[Wrang]ling among Erie Directors.

NEW YORK, May 13.—A long and excited meeting of the directors was held to-day. A special committee, consisting of President Jewett, John Taylor [Johnston], and ex-Gov. Morgan, appointed to make a [report] to the stockholders on the condition of the [company], stated their report, and considerable discussion followed, owing to rumors afloat that the company could not pay its June interest. It was decided to telegraph to London that some arrangement would be made in regard to the payment of the June interest. In regard to the proposition to [raise] money by the sale of the company's coal lands, the report stated that a mortgage for half a [million] dollars had already been made on these lands on a long time loan. President Jewett declined to give the figures of the main part of the report, but said they would be furnished for publication in course of time.

Sale of the Property of the N. P. R. R. Ordered.

Judge Blatchford in the U. S. district court to-day, on application of Jay Cooke and Charlemagne Tower, holders of the first mortgage bonds of the Northern Pacific railroad, issued a decree ordering the sale at public auction, of all property, including lands and grants of the Northern Pacific railroad, the lands and grants to be sold in the States where they are located, and other property in this city, on the first Monday in August. U. S. Marshal Fisk and U. S. Commissioner White were appointed.

Indian Superintendent to be Removed

ST. LOUIS, May 13.—Advices from Topeka, Kansas, say information has been received from Washington that the President has examined the accusations against Indian Superintendent Hoag by Gov. [Osborn], and decided to remove him. It is further stated that the governor, on his return from California, will make additional charges against Hoag of official and personal dishonesty in distributing Indian annuities in Kansas territory.

Wheat Prospect in the Western States.

TOLEDO, May 13.—The *Blade* publishes an elaborate wheat report, compiled from statements from fifteen points in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, indicating that there has been a quarter to a third of the winter wheat crop killed, but which is nearly offset by the increased number of acres sown, and that the quantity of spring wheat put in, if everything keeps favorable, brings the whole production up to the average crop. One fourth of last year's crop remains in farmers' hands. The amount of corn put in this year greatly exceeds last year.

International S. S. Convention.

BALTIMORE, May 13.—At the International Sunday school convention this morning a half hour was spent in religious services conducted by Rev. Israel Hathaway. A committee was appointed to nominate an executive committee to arrange the next triennial international convention and statistical secretary.

Decision on the Terminus of the Union Pacific.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 13.—In the U. S. Circuit Court to-day, Judge Dillon gave a decision in the Union Pacific Railway terminus case, which was argued before him last fall. He holds that the legal and stipulated terminus of the road is on the Iowa shore of the Missouri river. As to the bridge, he decides that the owners have an undoubted right to charge reasonable tolls. A supersedeas was issued in the case, and the right of appeal will be argued before the Supreme Court in October.

Condition of Breckenridge.

LEXINGTON, May 13.—The condition of General Breckenridge is unchanged. He is unable to converse with friends who call, but retains his senses. There appears no immediate danger of death at present.

The Turf—Fastest Running Time on Record

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 13.—In the races to-day the [illegible] mile heats, was won by Searcher, who distanced the other two entries, Light Coin and Lost Fortune, in first mile, making it in 1:43, the fastest time on record. Last year Grey Planet ran a mile at Saratoga against time in 1:41½.

Whisky House Seized in Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, May 13.—Collector Weitzell, by order of the Treasury Department, this afternoon seized the large whisky house of Patrick Boyle and Barrett, and placed it in charge of United States Marshal [Th]rall.

Matricide

BOSTON, May 13.—Wm. Russell killed his mother to-day and seriously wounded his father and younger brother at Newbury.

A Sensation in the Congregational Union

NEW YORK, May 13.—At the annual meeting of the Congregational union to-day, an excitement was caused by Dr. Bacon, who said that he would not serve on the board of trustees with a gentleman who did not represent the church, meaning Henry C. Bowen, who was nominated.

The New York Assembly Asks the Government to Recognize the Belligerency of Cuba.

ALBANY, May 13.—The assembly to-day unanimously passed resolutions calling on the government to recognize the belligerency of Cuba.

Kentucky Republican Nominations

LOUISVILLE, May 13.—At the Republican State convention in this city to-day, Gen. Harlan was nominated for governor, Robert Boyd for lieutenant governor, W. L. Goodloe for attorney general, Reuben Patrick for register of the land office, William Berry for auditor, and R. R. Radcliffe for treasurer.

The platform adopted [illegible] the convention is long. It reaffirms faith in Republican principles, [approv]ing the financial policy of the government, and holding that the financial legislation of Congress should be steadily directed to the resumption of specie payment the earliest date consistent with the business interests of the country; expresses unabated confidence in President Grant's patriotism and devotion to Republican principles. The third resolution is as follows:

Resolved, That the attempt of Democratic leaders to create the impression that our patriotic President desires or seeks a re-election for a third term is an absurd device to disrupt the Republican party and produce division between it and the President. The charge has no foundation in fact and aims to mislead the people of the country into a restoration of that party to power which came near destroying the Union of our fathers.

More Whisky Seizures

ST. LOUIS, May 13.—The rectifying establishment of Fenlman & Co., Kansas City, and the distillery of Sheenan & Sons, St. Joseph, have been seized.

Loyal Sentiment from Jeff Davis

HOUSTON, Texas, May 13.—Jefferson Davis, in an address to the Texas veterans of the Mexican war, entreated them to be as loyal now to the stars and stripes as they have been zealous and brave in the defense of their first [flag].

An Inflammatory Address by John Siney

OSCEOLA, Pa., May 11.—John Siney, president of the Miners and Laborers Benefit Association, addressed an excited crowd of miners here to-day. He said if Captain Clarke, of the police force, received any injury, the responsibility rested on those who sent him here and not on the miners. He said there were times when people were justified in violating the law. It was robbing when persons came here now seeking to take the places of those out on a strike; were robbing children and women of their bread, and should be treated accordingly. Siney then sent an infuriated crowd to Powellton to drag men from work, as they did at Fisher's yesterday. It is universally believed among disinterested citizens that if there is bloodshed the blame rests with Siney and Parks, who are under pay of the national organization, and are being paid by shippers. It is thought in other regions to keep up the strike.

WASHINGTON CITY.

The Raid on the Whisky Frauds Continued—An Underground Tank Discovered

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The Secretary of the Treasury is still engaged in prosecuting the raid against all parties engaged in illicit whisky distillation. Treasury agents are required, in cases where U. S. attorneys and revenue officials fail to give their full support to the investigations in progress, to report their names to the department.

The agent at Milwaukee telegraphs that he has discovered a subterranean tank of the capacity of 2,500 gallons, belonging to one of the Milwaukee distilleries.

War Department Orders

WASHINGTON, May 13.—A special order from the war department, April 8th, relieving C. J. Sprague, chief paymaster of the department of California, has been revoked. The portion of that order relating to officers of the pay department serving in the military division of the Pacific has been modified to read as follows:

The commanding general of the military division of the Pacific is authorized to cause from time to time an interchange of stations between the paymasters in Arizona and others in other parts of said division, the senior paymaster in the department of Arizona to perform the duties of chief paymaster of that department. The leave of absence granted to Col. [illegible] Lloyd Jones, 3d infantry, has been extended to eleven months, with permission to go beyond the [sea].

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The English Turf.

LONDON, May 13.—The match race for 100 sovereigns between Galliopin and Stray Shot was run to-day at Newmarket and won by Galliopin. The latter is now quoted at 9 to 10 for the Derby.

The Virginius Indemnity.

MADRID, May 13.—It is unofficially announced that the treasury has paid Caleb Cushing $8[illegible],000, being the last installment of the *Virginius* indemnity.

Floods in Australia.

LONDON, May 13.—A dispatch from Melbourne says that the city of Sydney and vicinity has been visited by heavy and damaging floods.

The Schiller's Dead.

A special from London says that eighty-nine bodies lost on the *Schiller* have been recovered, among them the body of a man with a marked signet, and A. F. on linen. The body of a young lady having a diamond set in a massive gold ring was found twenty miles from the scene of the disaster.

Attempts to Reach the Wreck by Divers.

LONDON, May 13.—The underwriters' agents and divers to-day attempted to reach the wreck of the *Schiller*, but were prevented by a heavy ground swell.

Twelve Victims of the Schiller Disaster Embalmed.

LONDON, May 13.—Twelve bodies, victims of the *Schiller* disaster, have been embalmed and will be forwarded to New York.

Annexation Fever in Australia—Floods.

At a meeting recently held in Sydney, New South Wales, a resolution was adopted urging on the home government the expediency of annexing New Guinea.

Extensive floods are reported in the province of Victoria.

Another Steamer Wrecked on the Scilly Islands

LONDON, May 13—12 M.—A dispatch just received from Penzance reports that a Liverpool steamer has gone ashore on Brechar, one of the Scilly Islands. A heavy fog prevails. A life boat has put off for the steamer.

The Czar's Mission Accomplished.

PARIS, May 13.—A telegram has been received at the Russian Embassy that the Czar has left Berlin thoroughly convinced that conciliatory sentiments of a nature to ensure the maintenance of peace prevail there. Similar intelligence was sent to all the Russian legations in Europe.

BERLIN, May 13.—Bismarck energetically disavows all responsibility of reports of alarmists, and has assured Prince Gortschakoff that Germany has in no way menaced Belgian independence.

The French Assembly.

PARIS, May 13.—In the assembly a resolution passed that no further elections be ordered for members of the assembly till the general elections for a new chamber are held. This action leaves the vacant seats in the present assembly unfilled for the present.

Pilgrims Congratulate the Pope.

ROME, May 13.—Pilgrims from Mayence to-day waited on the Pope and congratulated him on the occasion of his 83d birthday. The Pope replied with feeling, praised the German clergy and exhorted them to steadfastness.

Arrested on Suspicion

LONDON, May 14, 5 A. M.—A British medical journal says the youth O'Connor, who on the day of thanksgiving for the recovery of the Prince of Wales attempted to shoot the Queen, was arrested again on the 11th inst. The Queen was holding a drawing room in Buckingham palace when O'Connor was found standing at the same place at the railing from which on the former occasion he pointed his pistol at the Queen. The arrest was quickly made and O'Connor sent to an asylum on the certificate of two physicians that he had a suicidal and homicidal mind.

The Times Reviews the Situation, and Insists that War was Averted by the Czar.

LONDON, May 14—5:30 A. M.—The *Times* says there could hardly be a more critical situation than existed in Berlin on the arrival of the emperor of Russia. The German government may be able to declare that a hostile movement was never officially entertained, but a few days since there was serious danger that warlike counsels would prevail. We would suppose that Prince Gortschakoff courteously expressed determination to treat as an enemy the first State disturbing the peace. In spite of England's attitude of reserve we believe the government thought it a national duty in the recent crisis to express its opinion very decisively in regard to the maintenance of peace. The communication was admirably received and a most satisfactory reply returned. France has expressed the acknowledgement of England's friendly attitude. The *Daily News* reports that the Czar had mentioned his desire to confer with M. Thiers unofficially in relation to European affairs.

The *Daily Telegraph* is informed that Russia has given England friendly and satisfactory assurance in regard to Central Asia.

Discussing the Succession to the Prince Imperial

PARIS, May 13.—*Le Gaulois*, the national organ of Prince Napoleon, in its leading article, declares that if the Prince Imperial should die, Prince Napoleon would never claim the throne. The principle of hereditary succession is dead. A third empire aiming at the restoration of Prince Napoleon or nephew would end in ruin. The article concludes: We never doubted France, even if consulted through a plebiscitum, would energetically pronounce for the form of a republic, which is the form of government most compatible with universal suffrage.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship *Holland*, from New York, and *Nether[land]*, from Philadelphia, arrived out.

CANADA.

New Contract for Mail Service between San Francisco and Victoria

OTTAWA, Ont., May 13.—A new contract has just been entered into with the postoffice department for the conveyance of mails between San Francisco and Victoria. This service, which has heretofore been semi-monthly, will under the new contract be semi-monthly during six months and weekly the remainder of the year.

The Steamer Chesapeake Ashore.

QUEBEC, May 13.—The British steamer *Chesapeake*, from Hull for Montreal, is reported ashore.

THE TILTON-BEECHER TRIAL.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Beecher [was present] to-day at the [illegible]. There was a large percentage of women to listen to the proceedings. As soon as court was formally opened, Beach called attention to the editorial reference to the trial in the *Tribune* this morning, which says that thus far the Beecher trial was enlivened yesterday by some choice exhibitions of legal blackguardism. Here is one and [illegible] to [illegible] a brief passage between Fullerton and O[illegible].

Judge Neilson said he appreciated the remark of Fullerton, and the language in the editorial called for an apology. For his part he never intended where so much courtesy was exchanged by counsel and witnesses.

Calvin J. Mills,

Of Buffalo, was the first witness. He testified that he engaged on the New York *Star* in March, 1872. In that year he saw the publication of what was called the Woodhull scandal about election time in *Woodhull & Claflin's Weekly*. He was asked if he saw the proof slips of the article before it was published.

Fullerton objected and an argument ensued.

Evarts conceded that the matter had been touched upon by the other side.

The court ruled that the answer would be taken.

Beach demurred to the [illegible] respect of the argument, stating he had shown through Andrews that the article was prepared by him a short time before it was put in type. He contended that the admission of this evidence would reopen the issues of the case.

The court said the question could be answered yes or no, but Evarts said it had caused so much discussion he would withdraw the question and the witness left the stand.

Bowen was Recalled

For further cross-examination, and testified that he had no recollection of the interview with Eggleston on the 26th of December, 1870. Recollected after the Tripartite agreement transaction of April 3d going away with Storrs (Claflin was not with us), but did not say anything about desiring to return the Woodstock letter. He didn't say to me it would not be given me unless a certain article was published in the *Independent*.

Cross examination by Fullerton—Do not remember when I left Freeland's house on December 26th, 1870. Left there before [2] o'clock, and arrived there about 4 or 5 o'clock. Did not hear of the Woodstock letter until two days after the signing of the Tripartite agreement. One of the arbitrators, Storrs, came to my office and said: "I have good news for you. I am going to get the Woodstock letter." I said I would be glad of it if he either gave it to me then or went and got it and gave it me. It was an unconditional surrender of it.

Eggleston Recalled,

Testified: I am now clergyman and pastor of the church. In December, 1870, I had business relations with Bowen as literary editor of the *Independent*. On the [illegible]th of December, 1870, I was twice at Bowen's. Think I went by appointment; went third time, but Bowen was engaged. On one occasion he was putting on his boots. Think Bowen said he had a letter from Tilton to Beecher, tapping his pocket. Think I called at Bowen's afterwards. He was out and I waited on him. Remember Bowen saying that Beecher stated Tilton was the worst man in the world and Mrs. Tilton a saint going to heaven. He also said Beecher told him horrible things of Tilton. Also said an adopted daughter of Tilton had told him he (Tilton) had carried her in his arms from her bed.

Cross examined—By Fullerton—I ceased to be employed by Bowen in July, 1871. Never had any personal difficulty with Bowen, nor do I think we had any misunderstanding, but may have had differences of opinion. Received my salary up to the time I left. Bowen did not complain that I took away a literary work which belonged to him. Ward, one of the editors of the paper, called on me for a story I had written, but I would not give it to him because it was mine. I wrote part of the story while I was on the *Independent*. One of the terms of refusal was that I sold the story immediately after I left Bowen's employ. Do not know that this raised any feeling between Bowen and myself. I intended to publish the story in the *Independent* as work for my salary. Witness was shown a letter dated January 3, 1871, which he identified as his writing. Fullerton read a portion of the letter, which stated that he (Eggleston) was preparing a story for the *Independent*. Rev. Dr. Ward called on me about this story and claimed he had a right to the story. I had then sold the story for $100. I am pastor of the Christian Endeavor Church. This church belongs to no particular denomination, but is running on its own hook. To Shearman—I received no special pay from Bowen for this story.

Horace B. Claflin

Was recalled and testified that he was one of the arbitrators between Bowen and Tilton; never saw the letter of submission; was not informed April 3d, 1872, of its existence, and it was not read to me; never remember Bowen asking that what they were to submit be put in writing; no written submission of any kind was drawn by Tilton, Moulton or Bowen in my presence that night; we all left together. Bowen saying, "Gentlemen, you must get the Woodstock letter." I do not think he addressed any particular person, but spoke to all. Witness was not cross-examined.

Storrs

Being recalled, testified that he was present at the arbitration April 3d, 1872, and was shown the written submission; never saw this paper at the time of the arbitration. Bowen did not suggest that what they had to submit should be put in writing; went there with Bowen and found Tilton and Moulton; took the Woodstock letter to Bowen.

Cross examined by Beach—Cannot remember all that occurred in the presence of the arbitrators and conversations that took place. If Moulton drew up that paper it was unknown to me; have no recollection of any paper being drawn up by Moulton or Bowen before the award was given, but there was some writing afterwards; will swear there was no talk about the writing of the submission in my hearing.

Geo. W. Uhler,

Who owned the house where Moulton lived in 1871, testified to seeing the portrait of Beecher hanging in the parlor in 1871.

Cross examined—Was certain it was Beecher's portrait and not Tilton's. Saw it last in February, 1871.

Court took a recess.

Evarts remarked to Beach that they would probably conclude the testimony this afternoon.

After recess Judge Neilson asked if counsel would go on and Shearman called.

Wallace E. Caldwell,

Who testified: Know Francis D. Moulton and visited his house in February, 1871, when he lived in Clinton street; spent some fifteen hours in his house, there he was sick and I was watching him; saw Beecher's portrait in the parlor when I was there. This witness was not cross examined.

Fullerton called

John E. Bowen,

Who testified: Am son of Henry C. Bowen and reside at home with my father; am at school in this city. In December, 1870, think I delivered a note from my father to Freeland; the note was addressed, but do not recollect where it was. Freeland took it, read it and said it was all right. Freeland came to the door when I gave him the note.

Cross Examined by Evarts—Saw Freeland and remember giving him the note; was then about 15 years old. Witness was allowed to retire.

Morris called.

Marshall J. Morrill,

Who testified: Am an architect; have made a draft of Ovington's house. Witness was shown a draft of the house. I made this draft of the house. It fronts east with piazza on the west. Witness described the diagram and situation of the piazza at the back of the house; said the piazza at Ovington's house was directly inclosed on all sides except looking towards the west.

Cross examined—Never visited the rear of those premises before 9 and 10 A. M. when the sun is in front of the house, but never saw the house in the afternoon. There is no building adjacent that would shield the rays of the sun from the piazza between two and five P. M.

Defense recalled

John C. Southwick,

Who testified: Woodruff told me once that Moulton [deposited] the $5,000 with his firm and it was to be drawn out for Tilton. Witness was asked as to the talk, but Beach objected as it was collateral, and it was ruled out. Remember the interview with Woodruff as to the publication of the scandal, in which he asked if it would not be better to drive Beecher out of Brooklyn.

Cross examined by Beach—Have no bills in this case; had some but terminated them by paying, when I knew I was to be called as a witness. Thought he would be asked the question.

Joyful Tidings.

We have nothing else to offer, said Evarts. Nor I, too, said Beach.

The Beginning of the End

Evarts rose and made a few remarks, saying he understood but one of the counsel on the other side were to sum up the case, and he and Porter would sum up for defense; altogether they would not occupy more than five days. In view of the time taken to get the evidence in, he would suggest an adjournment be made till Wednesday next.

Beach said he would rather continue on Monday, but would defer to the wishes of the other counsel.

Judge Neilson then ordered an adjournment till Wednesday.

On the night of the 4th, says the Olympia *Transcript*, while the steamer *Cyrus Walker* was towing a raft of logs belonging to Mr. Sam Willey out of Big Skookum bay, the boom was carried against Cape Cod by a strong eddy, when the raft was completely broken up. Owing to the different currents and eddies it was impossible to keep a guard over the logs, and in a short hour they were floating toward the cardinal points of the compass. While a great many of the logs were eventually picked up and rafted, it is estimated that 100,000 feet are lost. Two or three other booms of logs have heretofore went to pieces on the same point.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

Sharon buys the Palace Hotel

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—To-day a deed was placed on record by which W. C. Ralston conveys to Wm. Sharon for the consideration of $1,750,000 his half interest in the Palace Hotel property. There is a mortgage on the property of $2,000,000, held by the savings banks, which Mr. Sharon assumes.

Democratic Primary.

The counting of votes cast at the Democratic primary yesterday is not yet completed, but it is believed a majority of the Williams ticket is elected, which candidates are supposed to favor C. T. Ryland, of San Jose, for governor.

San Francisco Stock Market

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Ophir 63; Mexican 2[illegible]; Gould and Curry 18¼; B. & B. [illegible]; Savage 33; Hale & Norcross 7[illegible]; H. C. N. 7; Crown Point 29¾; Jacket [illegible]; Imperial 8; Empire 6; Kentuck 13½; Alpha 3[illegible]; Belcher 25; Confidence 18; Con. Va. 4[illegible]; S. Nevada 10[illegible]; California 5[illegible]; Bullion 18; Overman 61; Justice 110; Dancy 1; Exchequer 2[illegible]; Union 7[illegible]; Caledonia 17½; Bryan 4; Julia 7½; Knickerbocker 2½; Globe 1½; Baltimore 6[illegible]; Utah 5[illegible]; S. Hill [illegible].

EVENING BOARD.—Valley 7½; Raymond and Ely 41[illegible]; Eureka Con. 10; Washington & American Flag 2[illegible]; Condor 1[illegible]; Belmont 3½; El Dorado South [illegible]; K. K. Con. [illegible]; Leopard 14½; Jefferson 8; Cornucopia 1[illegible]; Panther 1[illegible]; Tiger 30; G. Chariot 6; Mahogany 9; Elmore 2[illegible]; S. Chariot [illegible]; War Eagle 4½; Empire Ida 2[illegible]; Poorman 7[illegible]; Eclipse 7; Challenge 7; Dayton 3; N. Y. Con. [illegible]; Occidental 3; American Flat 3½; Woodville [illegible]; Mint 30c; Lady Washington 1½; Kossuth [illegible]; O. G. Hill [illegible]; Andes 3[illegible]; N. Carson 20c; Niagara 10c; Cosmopolitan 87c; Prospect 4; Pioneer [illegible]; Seg. G. Hill 2[illegible]; Maryland [illegible].

Greenbacks 87 buying, 87¾ selling.

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

Special Election for Congressman

SALEM, May 13.—Governor Grover has decided to call a special election to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Congressman La Dow for Monday, October 25th.

LETTER FROM PORT GAMBLE

PORT GAMBLE, W. T., May 11, 1875.

Since my last refreshing showers and cheering sunshine have prevailed, producing a pleasant atmosphere, rich vegetation and the prospect of abundant crops.

PUGET SOUND

is enjoying a season of unusual prosperity in all its developed industries. The lumber and coal business are now in the field in a contest for the first place in developing the resources of the Territory. Until within the last year the coal business, with a few exceptional cases, advanced at a slow rate. Now it is one of the prominent industries of the Sound and promises great results in due time.

THE LUMBER BUSINESS OF THE SOUND

Has got a long start in advance of any other business and will hold that position for many years to come. The forests seem inexhaustible. There is every variety of timber for almost all the purposes of human wants in that respect. The yellow fir is equal to any lumber for shipbuilding, and there are great varieties of the choicest kinds of timber for finishing.

In addition to the immense shipments of lumber for the coast and foreign markets, there is scarcely a doubt but the Sound will be the great shipbuilding yard of the Pacific Coast before many years.

PORT MADISON SAWMILL,

Located on the beautiful bay that bears that name, and thirteen miles below Seattle, is a fair sample of the mills on the Sound. The demand for lumber in San Francisco is such that this mill is running day and night since November. The mill cuts 50,000 feet of lumber in twelve hours. During the last six months 90,000 feet have been cut, including night work, and at least 20,000,000 feet during the year. In addition to this 35,000 laths are made daily, or 10,500,000 in the year. Six boilers and two engines produce the power. Planks are being cut at present 75 feet long, and not unfrequently from 90 to 105 feet. These are generally used for ship-building. There is an iron and brass foundry, machine, blacksmith and carpenter shops that form part of the establishment and do all the work of the mill in these departments. The machinery used consists of a double circular saw, an edger, a scantling machine, a planer and a lath machine. About 140 men are employed on the day and night work, including 12 Indians and 12 Chinese. The mill owns six vessels that have a carrying capacity of 3,500,000 feet of lumber. They make an average of eight round trips to San Francisco in the year. Also two tow boats, the *Politkofsky* and *Ruby*. The former is a large powerful boat for taking vessels to sea, and the latter for towing rafts and other light work.

A new and commodious wharf has been built lately, with all needful conveniences for loading vessels. By means of a small steam engine, vessels are loaded by a few men with great speed and ease.

A good store is kept for supplying the families at the mill, logging camps and settlers with goods, the sales of which amount to from $80,000 to $100,000 a year.

The mill has a good ship yard on the opposite side of the bay, that has every facility for the purpose. Six schooners, two barks, one barkentine, one ship and one steamer have been built in this yard during the last few years—eleven in all.

There is now a constant steady demand for good men in all the departments of the lumber business. Common working men get from $35 to $45 a month and board; mechanics and competent and reliable men get from $75 to $125 a month, and a few get still higher wages. Men at such establishments are paid according to their *merits*. Good board and comfortable cottages are provided for the men.

Mr. A. G. Meiggs, of San Francisco, is now the sole proprietor; Mr. W. A. Jennings is the efficient superintendent, and Mr. M. Buckley is the competent foreman of the establishment.

PORT GAMBLE SAWMILL

Known as the Puget Mill Company, is one of the largest establishments of the kind on the Sound. It is located on a large land locked bay of considerable beauty, where vessels are well protected and there are convenient facilities for loading and unloading. There are two sawmills on the wharf. The old mill runs a double circular saw, an edger, a scantling machine and a planer. In driving this machinery four boilers and two engines are used. About 50,000 feet of lumber are cut in twelve hours. This mill has been running day and night for the last three months.

The new mill is a most complete one in all respects. It runs a double circular saw, two gang saws, two edgers, two planers and two lath machines. The steam power consists of eight boilers and six engines. This machinery cuts 100,000 feet of lumber daily and makes 50,000 laths. The two mills cut 150,000 feet of lumber in twelve hours, not counting the night work, and makes 50,000 laths. San Francisco is the principal market at present. In ordinary times large shipments are made to the Sandwich Islands, South America, China and Australia. About 10,000,000 feet of lumber is the usual quantity shipped; this year it will reach 15,000,000 feet. The company own 16 vessels that are constantly employed in the lumber business and carry an average freight of 400,000 feet of lumber each. They have three tow boats, the *Goliah* and *Cyrus Walker* are principally used for towing large vessels to sea; the *Yakima* is employed in towing logs from camps to the mills.

The two mills employ 175 men, including 15 Kanakas and 20 Chinese, with a steady demand for more good hands. A large dining hall and comfortable meals, rows of beautiful cottages, a good news room and library are provided for the men. Over the latter rooms is an extensive hall for lectures, public meetings and theatricals; it is used as a church on Sundays. A good school is provided for the children. The wages are similar to other large establishments of the kind on the Sound.

The company run a very complete and extensive store that meets the wants of families, logging camps, small stores, settlers and ship masters, embracing a retail and jobbing business.

It is a common circumstance to see from five to eleven vessels loading lumber at the wharf of these mills at one time, and sometimes as high as thirteen. A large fleet of vessels left loaded a few days since; one left yesterday, and two are now loading. This will be one of the most profitable years for lumber men on the Sound perhaps ever experienced, and will continue as long as immigration pours into the Pacific coast and the people of San Francisco build and improve in future years as they have done in the past two.

Mr. John Collins, of Seattle, owns and runs a large hotel here which has excellent accommodations for the public.

The young men connected with the mills have an excellent band and a comfortable room to practice in.

In the new mill 60 gang saws are sharpened every day; the circular saws are changed twice a day, sharpened three times, and the teeth renewed about once a month.

Messrs. Pope & Talbot are the partners and attend to the business in San Francisco. Mr. C. Walker is the resident partner and general superintendent here. Mr. S. W. Hovey is the cashier. The whole establishment bears the impress of successful management. The credit of the company is unlimited.

NORTHWEST.

THE TERRITORIES

A three card monte man has been convicted at Ogden. His name is John G. Higgins.

A plank road is to be constructed from Olympia to the fair grounds near it, at a cost of $1,000.

Seven ladies were confirmed at the St. John's church, Olympia, on last Sabbath evening by Bishop Morris.

Another Black Hills miner has reached Cheyenne. He says there are millions of tons of ore in that country that will yield $1,000 to the ton. He is going East to "carry the news to Mary," and to borrow some money to come back on.

A man borrowed a razor of a Cheyenne barber to cut his corns with, but changed his mind and tried to sever his jugular vein. The first slash sickened him so of the suicidal business that he returned the razor to its owner and applied to a surgeon for aid.

Among the laws now on the statute books of Montana, is one which provides that diseased stock shall be removed to some secure inclosure, or shall be driven at least six miles from any farm or where there is stock running at large, and shall be strictly herded.

Puyallup Valley, W. T., is good for hops, but is not the only locality in which hops will grow to perfection. Messrs. J. and D. E. Hartman, of the Nesqually bottom, made a successful experiment with this crop last year, and now they have five acres planted for the coming season. The vines are creeping along up the poles in a thrifty manner, already reaching some 12 feet from the ground.

For the quarter ending May 1, 1875, the county treasurer of Thurston county, W. T., J. H. Munson, received as county funds, $3,650.41; school funds, $5,060.29; Territorial funds, $1,085.26; whole amounts received, $9,834.96. At the end of the quarter there was a balance on hand of county funds amounting to $965.52; school funds, $1,623.71; Territorial funds, $122.21. Total cash on hand at the end of quarter, $3,311.44.

The Silver City *Avalanche* puts it thus, which is more readable than some poetry which has been sent us on the same subject: "Hail spring, bituous virgin, 5,000 years old and upwards, hale and hearty old gal, welcome to Silver City and parts adjacent. Now the birds jaw, now the cattle beller, now the pigs scream, now the geese warble, now the kats sigh, and nature is frisky; the virtuous bed bug and the nobby cock-roach are singing Yankee Doodle and Com'n Thru the Rie."

A Montana paper says: "'Gold from the grass roots down' is an expression not understood in the States, and yet some of the richest placer diggings ever worked in Montana were of this description. We have got $2.50 to the pan by pulling up the grass roots on Carpenter's bar, Blackfoot, and washing them, and we have seen $5 washed from a pan of grass roots pulled up off the rim of Harris' hill, below Bannack. The gold was coarse, and in both cases the grass roots reached the bed rock. Thousands of miners have worked diggings of the kind known as 'gold from the grass roots down.'"

LASSOING A PORKER.

THE EFFECT OF READING ONE OF MAYNE REID'S NOVELS.

I remember him as a very thin boy with light hair. His principal fault was that he was too easily influenced. He gained certain hazy and indistinct ideas in regard to lassoing wild horses by reading one of Mayne Reid's books. His name was "Ned" Strong. His proposed method of lassoing a wild horse was as follows: First, he would mount a noble, well trained steed, with a rope twelve feet long in his hand. This rope would have a noose in one end of it, and, after a long chase upon a foaming charger, he would at last throw that noose over the head of a wild horse, and so have him fast—lassoed. So he bought twelve feet of clothes line and began to practice at lassoing by throwing the noose over a horse post ten feet off. In a week he could lasso a horse post every time. Having heard that the pen was mightier than the sword, he went out into the pig pen and practiced lassoing the pigs. By the end of another week he could catch a pig on the run every time.

At this time Ned was only fourteen years old. He weighed eighty seven pounds. One day he saw an enormous porker rooting on the village "green." Ned tied the lasso tightly to his wrist, and then he determined to lasso the porker or perish in the attempt. As the reader will soon see, he came near perishing, for no sooner did the creature feel the noose drop over its neck than it started for the open country with a speed that was entirely beyond Ned's control. Ned pulled back as hard as he could, but he might as well have tried to stop the momentum of an ox. The rope was so securely tied to his wrist that he could not release himself, and it was entirely impossible for him to cut the rope as he was prancing along at a high rate of speed. He was taking long involuntary steps—very long indeed. It was a forced run.

The porker dragged Ned through a mud puddle and then made for a swamp, evidently terror stricken and laboring under the delusion that Ned was a tin can. However the rope finally slipped from his wrist and he landed wrong side up in a slough of soft mud. The porker kept on with a terror stricken eye, and is probably going yet.

An eighty seven pound man cannot lasso a four hundred pound hog without coming to the conclusion that he has mistaken his calling.

Mrs. J. W. Sallust, says the *Statesman*, who lives about two miles above Turner's station, was severely burned yesterday morning. While sitting by the fire place about 5 o'clock she was suddenly seized with a spasm and fell directly on the fire. She started up and with her clothing enveloped in a sheet of flame, ran screaming into the open air. Her husband was engaged at milking some distance from the house, so that before any assistance could be rendered, the unfortunate woman's back and right arm were burned almost to a crisp."

OREGON

A newspaper man in Albany is reported as having deserted his wife and children.

Four hundred thousand feet of logs were run over the Calapooia dam on last Monday and Tuesday.

A son of Mr. Tickler, of Union, received a fracture of the clavicle or collar bone a few days since, from being thrown from a horse.

Johnny Frazier fell in a mill race at Salem last Tuesday and sank twice before a fishing rod was placed within his reach and he was fished out.

J. Duffy, so-called, who so cleverly and roguishly bilked a hotel proprietor of Salem out of about $50 a short time since, has been arrested at Eugene and will be taken to Salem for trial.

Messrs. H. A. Strait and Chas. H. Canfield, of Oregon City, went out into the mountains prospecting last week, but they got lost and prospected for the road home for two days without any grub.

There will be three days races at Union, commencing on the 26th inst. The boys have some good horses and very promising colts that they are anxious to break before the Fair. The purses are not large, but as liberal as the times will justify.

Mr. McComas, of the LaGrande *Sentinel*, was recently traveling some distance from his home on a very dark night, leading his horse, when he stumbled and fell, breaking one finger and dislocating two others, in the attempt to break his fall by throwing out his hand.

The school directors of the Amity district in Yamhill county last Saturday awarded the contract for building the new school-house at Amity, to Mr. J. C. Cooper, of Zena. The price to be paid is $2,800, to put the house in complete running order.

From S. A. Mahaffey, of Auburn, the *Sentinel* learns that John Graham picked up a nice little specimen in the shape of a nugget, valued at $177, on the 29th ult., near French Gulch. There has been a large amount of money taken out of the ground in and around Auburn during the past ten or twelve years.

State Superintendent of Common S[chools] L. L. Rowland has arrived at La [Grande], on Monday last organized the [illegible] institute for that judicial district. There was a general attendance [of the teach]ers of the county, though the [illegible] of the district were unrepresented. [The inst]itute was organized by the election [of illegible] K. Hines as president; J. I. O[illegible] [vice] president; and L. J. Rouse, secretary. [It con]tinued in session till Wednesday; interesting examinations and discussions had on all the branches of common school education, and a general interest seemed awakened in the minds of the [illegible] ent on the subject of successful [illegible].

A number of the prominent citizens [of Ma]rion county met last Wednesday [at] Grangers' Hall, at Salem, in the [interest of a] mountain road across the Cascades [via] Santiam to the Black Butte. [John] Minto and George Downing, who [were] the viewers last summer, gave [a de]scription of the country the proposed road is to be built. W. J. Herren, the following [were] appointed to file articles of incorporation [for] the Minto Pass road, and open [the] same: John Minto, Dan. Dun[illegible], Geo. W. Hunt, John Hun[illegible], Wm. C. Griswold. On motion, stock was fixed at $100 [per share] each. On motion adjourned [to] Friday, the 21st inst.

Some weeks ago [illegible] says the *Granger*, [a hus]band, wife and four ch[ildren] [from] Arkansas. They had so [illegible] little accumulations and re[illegible] moved into it. During the ne[xt] [illegible] mother and all of the children [were taken] down with the measles, of a malignant [type], and have been very sick ever since. The little money they had was stolen, [and they] were left destitute. The fire company [hear]ing of the situation, appointed a committee [to] wait upon the afflicted family, and upon [being] assured of their destitute condition, [furnished] all necessary supplies for them at the [compa]ny's expense. They hired a girl to take [care] of the family during the day time, and a man to nurse them at night.

Mr. Jos. Hoyt, superintendent of the [Oregon City] woolen mills, says in the *Record* that when he first came to Oregon, about 30 years ago, the wool of the country was clean and in nice order, much more so than at the present time. The presence of the scab in sheep deteriorates the value and is a great damage to the o[wner]. He expresses the opinion that sheep [should be] sheared as early as possible in th[e spring], before the first of May. During the w[inter] wool stops growing, and when the sp[ring] weather commences it commences to grow again, and where the old growth stopped and the new commenced the wool is always weak and rotten, and it is a damage to it to have any of the new growth clipped. [It is his opin]ion that leaving sheep to [go unshorn] too long has a tendency to cause [scab], and that scab is either caused in that way.

MRS. COBLEIGH'S HOT POTATO.—[Mr. Cob]leigh had just got down to [dinner, and] was standing up to the stove [with his hands] clasped behind him, as is [his custom, con]templating the attractive [meal. A] large platter of boiled ham [and eggs] was the central feature, and Mr. Cobleigh is very fond of ham and eggs. The family cat was lying under the table, purring softly to herself. It was a strongly marked domestic scene, and Mr. Cobleigh felt his eyes moisten as he surveyed it. Mrs. Cobleigh was taking up the potatoes. She had the last one pierced with the fork, and was about to deposit it with the rest, when she espied the upturned palm of her husband's hand. What possessed her she cannot tell, but she dropped the steaming vegetable straight into his unconscious hand. He didn't ask her what she was doing, he didn't even look round; he simply emitted an awful scream, and sprung madly into the air. On the descent he struck the table with his knees with such force as to completely overturn it, and, with the contents, he went to the floor with an awful crash. Five dollars worth of crockery was smashed, and a carpet coat, and a pair of pants were ruined by ham-gravy and butter. It is probable Mr. Cobleigh would have fainted dead away from the effect of the shock, had not the cat, across whose erected back he fell, as she was darting away from the awful calamity, turned around and fastened both claws and teeth into his thigh with deadly ferocity. That revived him. The house is now shut up. Mrs. Cobleigh is visiting her mother in Brookfield, and Mr. Cobleigh has taken a jaunt to Boston on business. We understand she thinks Mr. Cobleigh is to blame in the matter for, she properly reasons, had he not jumped so like an all fired fool, there would have been no damage done.—*Danbury News*.

COURTSHIP IN PATAGONIA.—When a young man in Patagonia falls in love with a girl he doesn't visit her six nights in a week and twice on Sunday, and feed her upon molasses candy and gum drops, and sit up until two o'clock in the morning gaping and burning out the old man's oil—and that sort of thing. Not at all. Courtship in Patagonia is much more simple. He lassoes the girl, drags her home behind his horse, and that's all the marriage ceremony necessary. Such a marriage ceremony will never become popular in this country, however, because so many of our young men can't afford to own a horse.

SWEARING AT THE BEGINNING OF THE REVOLUTION.—At least two men swore at the beginning of the Revolution. One was Captain Brown, who said to his comrade, Captain Davis, [illegible] cord by the British, "G—d [illegible] are firing balls. Fire!" The other was General Putnam [illegible] Continental troops at Bunker [Hill] indulged in so much profanity [illegible] Continentals retreated under [illegible] the enemy's artillery at [illegible] fight that he apologized to [illegible] the war, on the ground that [illegible] enough to make an angel [swear] cowards refuse to sec[ond] [illegible] won." He did [illegible] but the recording [angel] blotted out his [illegible] as it did in the [illegible] two instances [illegible] fanity in the [illegible] As the war [illegible] more frequ[ent] [illegible] than Allen wher[illegible] British Gener[al] [illegible] of Almighty G[od] [illegible] Congress.

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FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 14 1875

THE WHISKY FRAUDS

It is evident from the tenor of our dispatches during the past three or four days that no developments that have been made of late years have created so much excitement as the bringing to light of the stupendous frauds practiced upon the revenue of the United States by the distillers of the West, and we are afraid in connivance with some, if not many of those whose position placed on them the responsibility of detecting and preventing such outrages on the laws of the country As yet, but few names have been given of those to whom the odium attaches but one thing is certain, the wrongs so wide spread in their operation and so vast in the number of those engaged in their perpetration, could never have reached such proportions, had not there been a well organized plan, cunningly devised and cautiously carried out by a large number of men who had an explicit understanding with one another These men were not, as it now looks all distillers, nor does it seem possible that all who were not distillers were subordinate officers, such as gaugers and store keepers, and though Commissioner Douglas so far is unscathed, there seems to be no doubt that many high officials have winked at these offenses, or stood by with their eyes closed and their hands open, while the Treasury of the Government has been ruthlessly and unsparingly pillaged

As in other instances the men of the press have been foremost in bringing out to the broad light of day this mass of frauds and exposing it to the public gaze While revenue collectors and deputy collectors, and revenue inspectors and their deputies, gaugers and sub gaugers, storekeepers and bonded warehouse keepers, and watchmen and detectives, and secret agents and traveling agents, and a swarm of officials numerous as the locusts in Egypt's fields or grasshoppers on the Kansas prairies, are snugly ensconced in fine offices, lounging on cushioned chairs paid for by the people, and allowing the honest dealer or manufacturer who is willing to obey the law and pay the required revenue, be crushed and his business ruined by the dishonest class who defraud the government of its dues by a connivance with these officials, or by an express agreement to share the profits, the men, like the editors of the St. Louis *Democrat*, braving one of the most powerful and unscrupulous combinations that was ever formed for such a purpose, have spared no effort to ferret out the evil and set upon its track the officers of the law, who should pursue their investigations until the whole wrong is righted and the wrong doers punished. If this be done some lofty heads must certainly tumble, and great will be the "wailing and gnashing of teeth" among the office holders

A MINNESOTA LETTER

While there is nothing in the letter from Minnesota, found elsewhere, that is so objectionable as to preclude its publication, we desire the writer, and those who think, as we infer he thinks, that all Oregonians are "so tired," that they "cannot build sheds for their stock" or "plow their broad acres and raise something for transportation," to know that a great many people here do have their stock properly sheltered every winter, though there are many winters when the shelter is but little needed, though it is best to be always prepared. And with her small population we think Oregon generally has a good deal for "transportation." Last year our exports were estimated to be worth $10,000,000, at low prices for almost everything which was produced in or shipped from the State." However, if any dweller in this land should be inclined to "go after" our correspondent, he can be found at present rolling up in his furs in the polaric regions of Minnesota whence he writes, and where men sit shivering with overcoats on on the 1st of May, and farmers are trying to do their spring plowing in the frozen ground By and by, however, we hope to see him in Oregon as we think he would do well here, and then we will explain the heading to his letter

CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION

Our Salem telegram conveys the information that the Governor has proclaimed an election to be held in this State on Monday, October the 25th, for a member of Congress to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon G A La Dow. The time appointed we apprehend will suit about as many voters as any which His Excellency could have fixed It will be one week after the close of the State Fair, and the bulk of the business of the fall season on the part of that large class of people, the farmers will be over, and just about that time, as much as at any other will most people have leisure to investigate the claims of those who are before them for their votes

OREGON WOOL GROWING

EAST PORTLAND May 12 1875

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

The subscriber respectfully desires to say a few word to the farmers in this State on the wool question It is generally known that the Pacific R. R. Co and Pacific Mail S S Co have recently advanced their rates upon freight, and wools having to pass over these routes will probably cost from six to eight cents per pound, and the farmer of course must pay this

The question naturally arises would it not pay to adopt the same custom as is done in older States and Canada to wash their sheep before shearing? By this method they might effect a saving of 20 to 25 per cent besides giving the wool a better appearance and character The writer has not unfrequently heard the remark that the water in this State is too cold for this purpose It would seem that if a small pond was built say three or four feet deep, and the water exposed a few days to the sun's heat before washing the sheep it might be done without injury to the animal Or even if a few farmers could come together and use artificial means it would pay Farmers who are raising strictly combing wools must understand that there is no machinery on this coast, not even nearer than Philadelphia, where these wools can be used Hence they must pass over the above routes eastward, though the woolen mills in this State and San Francisco will buy them, but only for speculative purposes. For this particular class of wool the demand is rapidly increasing As an instance, ten years ago the amount of money invested in the worsted business in the United States was less than three million dollars to day it is over fifteen millions This business like a good many others might be said to have been really developed by our late civil war and has now obtained a firm foot hold and is destined to be one of the leading industries on this continent as it now is one of the most profitable in New England For information upon this matter let any one examine the list of importations made into the city of New York from England and France and see the values of worsted as compared with other goods The limited supply of combing wool seems to be the principal drawback to its further extension The Eastern manufacturer is obliged to buy nearly all the Canadian and also buy heavily in England paying duties at the rate of 10 to 12 cents per pound and 10 and 11 per cent ad valorem For example the Canadian farmers receive from 36 to 40 cents per pound gold Upon this the wool dealer or manufacturer must pay duties as above with freight and other charges making these wools cost laid down in Boston or New York from 60 to 70 cents per pound according to quality

It would seem as though the Oregon farmer ought to take encouragement when there are such heavy odds in his favor

The writer has been often told there was too much rain in Oregon to raise really good wools The Canadian farmer might, with equal propriety say he had too much snow Let the Oregon farmer study a little more about giving his sheep cereals and green feed and proper shelter in winter during the heavy rains and as a fast horse shows his *keep* by his coat so will the most useful animal show its keep by its fleece

FRIENDLY GROWL FROM A POLAR BEAR

WYKOFF FILLMORE CO MINN
May 1, 1875

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I received a copy of your paper of April 10th to day thanks to my old and honored friend of Yamhill the Hon H M Daniel, and in looking over its contents I find that it is not inferior to any paper published in this State or even Chicago in point of general news and information of all kinds, and when it speaks of green fields in Oregon we Minnesotans are trying to keep warm by the stove, except some of the farmers who put on their overcoats and mittens and in spite of the crust, keep sowing and harrowing in their grain There was no seeding done in this part of the State to speak of until this week as this has been a very stormy month and the ground was white with snow this morning The winter has been the coldest for a great many years, but stock has not suffered as much here as in Oregon according to the accounts in your paper and it seems to me that there is no need of stock suffering there if the people were not quite so tired (as one of your correspondents expressed it) and would build sheds and have straw stacks to keep the cold rains off their stock as we do in Minnesota for we always dread rainy weather in the winter more than we do dry freezing weather even with the thermometer at 30° below zero By the account given in your paper of some of the people of your county I conclude that instead of their trying by their own will to get up a little ambition and improve the opportunities they seem to have for making themselves independent, they are waiting for some great event to transpire which must be nothing less than a railroad to awaken them from their lethargic state. But it seems to me if they ever expect to get railroads they must first produce something for railroads to carry as men who invest money in railroads do so for the present or prospective amount of business to be done. So if some of the good but tired, people of Oregon would plow up their broad acres and raise something for transportation their dreams of railroads telegraphs and lively towns and cities will soon be realized I hope no Oregonian will take any offense at my advice, for I intend to make that my future home at some time and not being acquainted with the manner in which they settle difficulties, I should feel very much embarrassed if I should be challenged for a fight by some one that felt himself aggrieved by my insinuations for I don't charge a cent for all my advice and, Mr Editor if you find nothing objectionable in what I have written, I would be pleased to have you give it space in your columns Respectfully yours M V B SCRIBNER

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If not sooner redeemed the above animals will be sold at auction on Tuesday May 18th at 10 o clock A M to pay charges
CHAS LAWRENCE
my14d7t City Pound keeper

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The Daily Oregonia
FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 14, 187

CITY.

SWINDLING IMMIGRANTS —Some week
we stated that a number of immigrants
been grossly deceived and swindled by
of sharpers, who sold them worthless wa
played games on them etc. This condu
has been repeated On the last st
learn from San Francisco more of these sharpe
arrived here, who had successfully played
tricks on unsuspecting immigrants o
voyage up Sometimes these sharpers
their tricks so slyly that the poor, th
honest traveler is swindled out of nearl
of his earthly possessions It is a fact
regretted that the authorities have no
tected these scoundrels in their nefariou
erations, and visited on them due punish
Once in a while these gamblers discover
match in an immigrant who luckily has
the elephant' before An instance of "dia
cut diamond" occurred recently in San F
cisco which we relate An Oregon-b
immigrant was sitting in the parlor of a
Francisco hotel one afternoon, when he
approached by a neat appearing man,
immediately entered into conversation,
soon after proposed a stroll to see the si
which was consented to by our hero Th
men walked down to a wharf, and being
ed the sharper—for such he was—comme
his tricks by performing "science" wi
string all the time trying to inveigle th
migrant to bet $20 that he could catch a
formed in the string Just at this jun
another sharper appeared, and he also tr
persuade the Oregon man to bet. Unt
time the immigrant had not suspecte
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peared and entered so naturally into c
tion, his suspicions were aroused, s
turned to the two men and said "Gents,
are not half smart enough, I may look
act like a hoosier, but I'm smart enough
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arose with a very sheepish expression on
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spector of Indian supplies
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New York, May 11 1875
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Territory are required to
sealed proposals opened at h
office, June 5th in presence o
board of Indian commissioner
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blankets and general line o
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DESTITUTE FAMILY —We are
there is a family residing near
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BISHOP MORRIS' APPOINTMENTS
lowing are the ministerial appoi
Bishop Morris for the months o
June May 16th, Whitsunday—
Monroe 21st Dalles City, 23d,
day—Umatilla 24th Pendleton,
corner stone of the Church of the
25th Weston 26th, Walla Walla
Sunday after Trinity—Oregon City Ju
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13th, third Sunday after Trinity—Salem
and 17th St. Helens Hall and Bisho
Grammar school close 20th, fourth S
after Trinity, Trinity Church—Por
27th, fifth Sunday after Trinity Dalle

MISSING —At the time of the explos
the *Senator*, Mr Felix Evans, who w
board lost a quantity of valuable c
The clothes were crowded into a valise
was a black enamel one with iron
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CITY.

SWINDLING IMMIGRANTS —Some weeks ago we stated that a number of immigrants had been grossly deceived and swindled by a lot of sharpers, who sold them worthless watches played games on them etc This conduct we learn, has been repeated On the last steamer from San Francisco more of these sharpers arrived here, who had successfully played their tricks on unsuspecting immigrants on the voyage up Sometimes these sharpers play their tricks so slyly that the poor though honest traveler is swindled out of nearly all of his earthly possessions It is a fact to be regretted that the authorities have not detected these scoundrels in their nefarious operations, and visited on them due punishment Once in a while these gamblers discover their match in an immigrant who luckily has seen the elephant before An instance of diamond cut diamond ' occurred recently in San Francisco, which we relate An Oregon-bound immigrant was sitting in the parlor of a San Francisco hotel one afternoon when he was approached by a neat appearing man who immediately entered into conversation and soon after proposed a stroll to see the sights which was consented to by our hero The two men walked down to a wharf and being seated, the sharper—for such he was—commenced his tricks by performing ' science with a string, all the time trying to inveigle the immigrant to bet $20 that he could catch a knot formed in the string Just at this juncture another sharper appeared and he also tried to persuade the Oregon man to bet Until that time the immigrant had not suspected anything wrong but when the other man appeared and entered so naturally into conversation, his suspicions were aroused so he turned to the two men and said Gents, you are not half smart enough I may look and act like a hoosier, but I m smart enough not to be 'sold' by such as you are any how ' They arose with a very sheepish expression on their faces, and turning down the street left the immigrant "alone in his glory ' Numerous instances of a similar character could be related but they do not always terminate so luckily for the immigrant as the one related

CONTRACTS AWARDED —Col. R N Batchelder, chief quartermaster of the department of the Columbia, has awarded the following Government contracts for transportation and supplies Transportation contracts have been awarded to the following persons Joseph Oppenheimer, for transporting Government supplies between Palouse Landing and Fort Colville at the rate of $3 92 per hundred pounds during the summer season, and 13 50 during the winter months. Mr Oppenheimer also has the contract for transporting supplies between Wallula and Fort Colville at the rate of $4 39 per hundred pounds during summer and $15 during winter. Wm Grant has been awarded the contract for the transportation of supplies between the Dalles and Camp Harney, during summer at $4 80 per hundred pounds, and $25 in winter Solomon Sachs has the contract for transporting supplies between Roseburg and Fort Klamath for $4 16½ per hundred pounds during summer and in the winter months $5 Mail transportation between Linkville and Fort Klamath (semi weekly service) has been awarded to a party at the rate of $9 83 per month Mr J W Green has been awarded the contract for carrying the mails between Canyon City and Camp Harney (weekly service) at $100 per month. Contracts for furnishing supplies have been awarded as follows Fort Vancouver Louis Sohns, hardwood at $4 per cord Jacob Proebstel, Jr, oats at 1½ cents per pound, hay (timothy), $9 20 per ton straw, $3 per ton. For Fort Townsend, John Hawkinson has been awarded the contract for supplies, hardwood at $3 35 per cord, oats, $1 35 per hundred weight hay, $20 per ton straw, $11 per ton Furnishing the necessary supplies to Fort Lapwai has been awarded as follows hardwood, C P Coburn at $9 75 per cord, oats and barley, J. E Putnam, at $2 20 per one hundred pounds, prairie hay J Lowenberg, at $12 93 per ton, straw $8 48 per ton timothy hay, Samuel Phinney, at $30 per ton

AN OREGON INVENTOR.—We observe the following paragraph in the *Alta*, of the 5th inst "Mr. H. W. Dilg a resident of Portland Oregon yesterday brought to our office a safe-lock, invented by himself, and after examining it, we could see no flaw in his claim that it is the best article of the kind ever made In other locks there is one lock for all the tumblers the slots are all in the same line, and when the slot comes into the right place for opening there is a click or little noise. These facts enable skillful burglars to break the locks and the Dilg lock avoids all these weak points and besides every lock is different in construction, so that a burglar s experience with one will not help him with the next We are told that it has already received high commendation from a prominent banker '

INDIAN SUPPLIES —Lieut Boyle, chief inspector of Indian supplies for this department received the following dispatch from W P Smith, Indian commissioner, under date of New York, May 11 1875 Goods and supplies for agencies in Oregon and Washington Territory are required to be purchased on sealed proposals opened at his (Lieut Boyle's) office, June 5th in presence of a committee of board of Indian commissioners Lieut. Boyle is required to call for sealed proposals for blankets and general line of dry goods hardware and groceries, naming such as are likely to be required for agencies Also for 200 000 pounds of beef net 200 000 pounds of flour, and 5,000 pounds of bacon, delivered at Malheur, and 100 000 pounds of flour at Tulalip '

DESTITUTE FAMILY —We are informed that there is a family residing near the corner of Seventh and Columbia streets which has been nearly, if not entirely destitute of the common necessaries of life The wife is an invalid, confined to her bed, and the husband is unable to obtain employment But little furniture is in the house and had it not been for the care evinced by kind neighbors there probably would have been an insufficiency of food and clothing. But they have furnished food enough to last for two or three days until the relief societies are notified of the case The Catholic clergy have generously procured the services of a physician who attends on the sick wife.

BISHOP MORRIS' APPOINTMENTS —The following are the ministerial appointments of Bishop Morris for the months of May and June May 16th Whitsunday—Corvallis and Monroe, 21st Dalles City 23d, Trinity Sunday—Umatilla 24th Pendleton laying the corner stone of the Church of the Redeemer 25th, Weston 26th Walla Walla 30, first Sunday after Trinity—Oregon City June 6th second Sunday after Trinity—McMinnville 13th, third Sunday after Trinity—Salem, 16th and 17th St. Helens Hall and Bishop Scott Grammar school close 20th fourth Sunday after Trinity, Trinity Church—Portland 27th, fifth Sunday after Trinity Dalles City.

MISSING —At the time of the explosion of the *Senator*, Mr. Felix Evans who was on board, lost a quantity of valuable clothing The clothes were crowded into a valise which was a black enamel one with iron center frame It contained one black frock coat one pair new beaver pants one black velvet vest with light spots one pair boots and other wearing apparel The valise was packed full and must have floated If the valise and its contents have been recovered the owner who is stopping at the National Hotel will be gratified to have the same returned to him

PASSENGERS.—The steamer *Ajax* sailed last evening from this port for San Francisco having on board the following passengers W C. Van Orsdel and wife Wm N Andrews, wife and daughter Lieut Garvey U S A and wife, Mrs Q Voos and family N C Savage and wife Mrs T A Savier and two children, A. Milwain and family David Hood and wife, J F Cook V R Fuller G L Rogers M P. Walker J G Taylor Jas Collister J H. Payne wife and family Miss Brown Peter Wagner, Wm Beuning wife and daughter Chas Bruce, Wm Bruce Wells Fargo & Co s messenger and 20 in the steerage

A COSTLY BLOW —Some time ago two boys who live in the southern portion of the city engaged in a quarrel, during which the elder struck the younger a slight blow so it is asserted, on the mouth The younger had the person who struck him arrested tried and fined about $20 for the offense It is said that the plaintiff used an iron hook during the affair, but it was not so understood at the trial, so the case was decided in his favor

WEATHER REPORT —From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland Oregon May 13 1875

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wind direction	Calm	S W	S
Wind velocity	0	8	5
Weather	Fair	Fair	Rain
Maximum temperature			[illegible]
Rainfall			10

STAGE OF WATER —The O S N Co has kindly furnished the following dispatches

Walla Walla May 13th 6 30 o clock P M —clear and warm thermometer 75°

Wallula—Boat just arrived from Lewiston and reports Snake river at a stand It is at a stand here since morning

BOARD OF DELEGATES

Last evening the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Delegates of the Portland fire department was held at the police court rooms Ed D Backenstos president in the chair and Wm Church Jr secretary present

Members present—Andrus Northup, Whalley Bruen Campion Bachman, Church, Birmingham Wilcox Tribou Temple Holman Braden and Wolf

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved

The report of the treasurer of the department for April, was read, adopted and placed on file

A communication was read from the secretary of Columbian Co No 3, stating that at a regular meeting of that company the following persons were duly elected members J Quackenbush J P Schmeer, P Horning Geo W Connart I Gumbert, A Oliver M J Gleason and James Armstrong and asking that active certificates be issued Granted and the secretary instructed to issue certificates as desired

A communication was read from the secretary of Hook and Ladder Co No 1 stating that at a regular meeting of that company W F Gallagher and J D Estes were duly elected members, and asking for active certificates Granted and the secretary was instructed to issue certificates to these members

A communication was read from the secretary of Tiger Co No 5 to the effect that at a regular meeting Joseph Thomas and George Frazer were elected members of that company and asked that active certificates be issued Granted, and the usual instruction given to the secretary

The secretary of Willamette Co No 1 stated in a communication, that W F Hummel T A Clark and J L Strowbridge, duly elected members of that company were desirous of obtaining active certificates The certificates were granted, and the secretary instructed to issue the same at once

The secretary of Protection Co No 4 stated in a communication that Mr D S Stimson a member of that company having served the required time entitling him to an exempt certificate, was desirous of obtaining the same After considerable discussion the communication containing the application was referred back to the secretary of that company on account of some informalities in not complying with the law

The application of Mr B Z Holmes a member of Columbian Co No 3 for an exempt certificate, was granted

On motion the Board adjourned

BRIEF NOTES.

June picnics will probably be held this season

A welcome sound on hot days I scream! I scream!!!

Thirteenth street is the favorite street for buggy and horse-back riding

Cleaning carpets, and re-painting houses engage housekeepers attention at present

It will require some labor to remove the brush and *debris* on the Academy ball grounds

Message uncalled for at the telegraph office for E Spaulding, proprietor California fruit drier

A dwelling house near the corner of Second and Madison streets, is being erected by Mr J S Keller

The ardor of croquet and ball players has been considerably dampened of late by the recent rains

The nice young man who tried to cut grass with a new scythe, catches a base ball with his left hand now

It is said that a more serious looking company of travelers than those who cross Fourth street bridge is seldom, if ever, seen

A hole at the corner of Fourth and Washington streets came near causing an accident to a buggy and occupants, last evening

There is some talk we hear of the Willamette University students picnicing at East Portland when pleasant weather arrives

The exact number of persons who perished by the explosion of the *Senator* will probably never be known It was lucky the explosion occurred near the city

Nothing exhibits truer love and affection than a man walking the streets on a rainy day with his wife he holding the umbrella entirely over his person and allowing his 'weaker minded' companion to realize the dampness of the descending rain by catching the same on her shoulder

AMUSEMENTS.

Mrs F M Phelps dramatic company in conjunction with Capt McDonald s band of trained Indians, will appear this evening at New Market Theater The company is announced to appear for positively two nights only and one matinee —this evening to morrow afternoon and evening This evening the performance will open with the brilliant comedietta The Comical Countess ' Mrs Phelps will personate the title role, efficiently supported by Miss Morgan, Messrs Barrows Crowell Gunning and others An interlude will follow during which Miss Morgan will appear in several new and original songs Following the interlude will be a grand exhibition of the art of handling arms by Capt McDonald s band of trained Indians who will execute their lightning drill, bayonet exercise and acrobatic performances. In the manual of arms and various military evolutions these Indians are said to be wonderfully proficient and their performances have been complimented in the highest terms, both by the press of San Francisco and Victoria To Oblige Benson a laughable farce, will conclude the evening s entertainment A matinee performance to morrow afternoon and one in the evening —last appearance

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Quite a number of our more noted musical folks assembled at the house of Mr H Thielsen Sr a few evenings since and spent the time in musical recreation and social intercourse Messrs DeFrans Fink Thielsen and Harris, assisted by talented lady musicians furnished a great variety of musical productions The music was excellent and not until a late hour did the guests depart and then it was almost regretfully

On Tuesday evening about thirty young ladies and gentlemen assembled at the residence of Mr E J Northup to commemorate the nineteenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr N and wife Spirited music was furnished numerous games engaged in refreshments provided and a good time generally experienced Mirth and hilarity reigned and not a sober face was visible from the commencement to the close of the happy occasion

If you have not tried the Cigars and Tobacco dispensed by BIRD at his Emporium First street opposite 105 go at once and purchase a liberal supply

The most stylish collar you can wear is the Warwick Ask for it at the gents furnishing stores

During the warm weather there is nothing better nor more cooling than a drink of soda water from Gibson & Co s Arctic

At The GREAT EASTERN CLOTHING STORE they are offering the finest Clothing to be found in the city at prices that defy competition There you can select from the latest styles which are laid in up on the arrival of every steamer from San Francisco A full line of Furnishing Goods Youth s Suits Valises and Trunks constantly on hand Observe the sign Great Eastern Clothing Store W HARRIS Proprietor 125 First street

SPECIAL NOTICE

Ladies who wish to have their own hair braided made into switches or worked up into any kind of ornamental work for use or preservation will do well to call on or send to MRS. LARSON, on Ninth street, between C and D She does all such work very neatly and upon reasonable terms, a28d1m

Harmony Encampment No. 4, C. of R. C. —Meets Tuesday Evenings at Good Templars Hall corner Third and Alder streets, at 7½ o clock.

I. C. R. C.

THIRD ANNUAL SESSION OF THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT

Third Day —Morning Session

At 9 30 sharp the Grand Encampment was called to order and opened in due form, C L Burrows Grand Commander, presiding

Special committee appointed to secure a lecturer reported progress and allowed further time

The following resolution was offered by W H Rubell of Dallas No 11

Resolved That we recognize the *T* [illegible] as an able and efficient temperance journal and recommend that the grand executive committee effect arrangements whereby it will be designated the official organ of this grand encampment

Adopted

W I Keady of Salem No 20 presented the following resolutions

Resolved That this Grand Encampment appreciate the efficient and courteous manner in which the officers have discharged their respective duties during the past year and be it

Resolved That we hail with gratitude the dawn of an approaching day to the order which has been greatly expedited by the retiring grand commander and his efficient corps of officers

On motion adopted

Resolved That the thanks of this Grand Encampment be and are hereby tendered to the news papers of Portland for their careful report of the proceedings of the sessions of this Grand Encampment

Osmond Royal of Sheridan No 32 presented his credentials and took his seat as a representative

F H Bellinger of Jefferson No 14 Grand C of H elect then tendered his resignation as such

On motion resignation accepted

Nomination for Grand C of H to fill vacancy occasioned by resignation of L H Bellinger was then made and upon spreading the ballot F E Turk of Canyon City No 5 received the unanimous vote of the Grand Encampment for Grand C of H

The special committee appointed for the purpose of securing a lecturer for the order reported On motion the report was adopted

The principal feature of the report was to employ Rev R G Hawn of Jefferson as grand lecturer of the jurisdiction at a salary of $100 per month while in actual service

The finance committee made their report, and upon motion it was adopted

T B Handley of Unity No 23, offered the following resolution, which on motion was adopted

Resolved That the grand commander be authorized to grant dispensations to subordinate encampments authorizing them to meet less frequently than once a week provided said encampments request a dispensation and furnish sufficient reasons therefor

The hour for installation of grand officers having arrived C E Burrows P G C installed the officers elect for the ensuing year

The committee appointed for the purpose of consulting a like committee appointed by the C of R. C upon the question of a union of the I C R C and the C R C, submitted the following report

That we have conferred with a like committee of the C R C and agreed upon a joint convention to be held at Portland Oregon July 13th and we recommend the adoption of the following

Resolved That immediately on the adjournment of this grand body our grand executive committee shall submit to the subordinate encampments, I C R C of this jurisdiction the question, convention or no convention and whenever the grand secretary shall be officially informed that two thirds of the working encampment in this jurisdiction have voted for convention then it shall be the duty of our grand executive committee to order an election of one delegate from each encampment and one additional delegate from each encampment numbering fifty members or over in good standing

T B HANDLEY
F P SMITH
R G HAWN
Committee

The following resolution presented by E P Smith of Salem No 20

Resolved That as the present fiscal year will not close until the close of the present session of this grand encampment in order to finish the work of the year the retiring grand secretary and grand commander be instructed to issue warrants for the claims allowed by this grand encampment as follows

To W H Rubell $20 50 C. E Burrows, $51 10 E P Smith $15 03 A G Walling $36 —

On motion the resolution was adopted

Upon motion the session adjourned to meet at 1 30 o clock P M

Afternoon Session.

At 1 45 o clock the Grand Encampment called to order and opened in due form Grand Commander R. G Hawn, presiding

On motion the vote by which the bonds of the grand secretary and grand treasurer were fixed at $1 000 was reconsidered

On motion, the bonds of the grand secretary and grand treasurer were fixed at $500 each

Grand Commander Hawn then announced the following standing committees for the ensuing term

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

C E Burrows P G C No 20 E H Bellinger No 14 W C Willis No 11

CORRESPONDENCE.

T B Handley No 23 W H Poland No 15 L W Loughary No 1

APPEALS

C H Hall No 20 C A Wheeler No 1 E G Bolter, No 11

PETITION

Mrs Carrie M Foltz No 20 E E Turk No 5 Mrs S Robinson No 1

GOOD OF THE ORDER

H T Rigdon No 14 E P Smith No 20 T B Handley No 3

CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS

W H Rubell No 11 Osman Royal No 32 E. Turner No 1

CREDENTIALS

J F Hyde No 18 E H Bellinger No 14 T B Handley No 23

The following resolution, upon motion was adopted

Resolved That a vote of thanks from this Grand Encampment be extended to the O & C R R and to the O C R R for passing the representatives over their roads at reduced rates

C E Burrows P G C then exemplified the unwritten work in the subordinate degree, the Degree of the Sacred Heart and Freedom s Defenders

The reading of the minutes of the day s session was postponed After a most successful and instructive session the Grand Encampment I C R C adjourned at 3 20 P M to meet at Salem Oregon on the second Tuesday in May 1876

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A Roman & Co San Francisco want agents for a number of new books announced in another column

H E Edwards the upholster has opened the storeroom 98 Front street where he will be pleased to wait upon his friends See card

Our Market is the name of the establishment on the corner of Fourth and F streets presided over by Murphy & Rogers See ad

FOUND —On First street between Morrison and Alder No 105, the place where watches, clocks and jewelry can be bought at reasonable prices and where watch repairing is done at a lower price than at any other establishment in this city Call on W Friedlander

Spelling matches are all the rage now and there is no telling what may follow to occupy the attention of society What attracts most attention in the vicinity of Front and Washington streets is the establishment of BECK & WALDMAN The immense stock of spring and summer Clothing and the marked changes in the matter of charges at this house is sufficient to draw large crowds to their store Youths clothing continues a specialty and fond parents make a great mistake if they fail to examine the stock at Beck & Waldman s

KOHN opposite the National Bank is still busy disposing of those new and exceedingly attractive styles of summer suits His recent visit to San Francisco gave him an opportunity to make the necessary arrangement for the shipment to his house of the latest and most fashionable suits and they should appear Everybody who has had any acquaintance with Kohn needs no telling You need a suit or something in Goods and Kohn offers you a splendid chance to buy.

PLEASURE BOATS

I have a number of Sail and Row Boats ready at any moment to let at reasonable charges Boats made to order

JOHN LACHARITI
Foot of Pine St

SOMETHING NEW

The new style of promenade photographs These beautiful pictures are now made at Bacon & Megler's new rooms Nos 127 and 129 First street Call and examine them

Samaritan Lodge No 2, I. O O F—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o clock, in Odd Fellows Temple corner of First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend By order of N G

Hassalo Lodge No 15, I O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G

AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL PARK ASSOCIATION.

The third meeting of citizens interested in this enterprise was held last evening The committee appointed to confer with the parties owning the lands required for the location of grounds reported that the parties were willing to dispose of their lands and would in most cases subscribe one half the amount of their valuation to the capital stock of the association The valuation of the lands say about ninety acres would not vary much from the sum of $50 000

Capt A P Ankeny was appointed to confer with citizens generally for the purpose of ascertaining the probable amount of stock that will be subscribed for and report at the next meeting, on Tuesday evening next at the office of the Gaslight Company

The following is the report of the committee on estimates for buildings improvements etc

PORTLAND May 12 1875

To the Chairman of citizens meeting called for the purpose of organizing an Agricultural and Mechanical Park Association We the undersigned a committee appointed to make an estimate of the probable cost of improving the grounds fencing the same and erecting suitable buildings thereon beg leave to submit the following report We estimate the probable cost of cleaning the grounds grading and fencing the same with an ample supply of water furnished at $14 000 Then taking the excellent plans and detailed drawings of the Rochester N Y Driving Park Association as a guide and adopting so much of them as would in our judgment be suitable for this association we find upon estimates made by competent builders the approximate cost of hotel pavilion mechanics hall, public entrance barns stables sheds &c &c will not be far from $40 000 thus making a total cost of all the improvements complete exclusive of land of $54 000

Your committee fully realizing the numerous advantages to be derived by the State at large and the city of Portland especially if the objects of this association are carried out have based their estimates upon what might be regarded as first class improvements in which not only the stockholders themselves but the patrons of the association as well can justly feel proud of

S G REED
B GOLDSMITH,
JOHN GREEN
W S LADD
Committee

May 12 1875

RAILROAD EXPERIENCES

A correspondent of the Detroit *News* thinks it is astonishing how differently the same actions performed by different persons are regarded by the ladies Now if you or I, he says, were to insist on having a mouthful of fresh air in a stifling railroad car the lady passengers would rise *en masse* and protest against the outrage 'Conductor said one lady on a Detroit Lansing and Lake Michigan train the other day, ' go and shut that big man's window I'm catching my death of cold ' ' That's Gov Bagley,' whispered the conductor Ah, what a fine-looking man he is Well, I suppose he is so big he can't stand the heat I'll try and get along '

The same correspondent gives this A Detroit and Milwaukee train got snowed up near Vernor Station and being isolated from the rest of the world, the passengers were naturally in a discontented frame of mind No such accident, however could choke the good humor and spirits of one red cheeked burly little man and he made such a hilarious racket on the train that he was the means of converting gloominess to mirth, and grumbling to cheerful talk He was very kind too, was the little man He waded through the deep snow to the village, and brought hot coffee to the ladies, and treated the sick man on the train so kindly that he won all the female hearts in that snow drift A road was finally cut through the snow, and all the passengers, after some difficulty, were housed for the night the sick man being carried from the train to the house by the good Samaritan The kindly little man, with seven or eight others, including the sick man were accommodated with shake downs in the room of a private house. No sooner had the wearied passengers settled themselves to needed rest than the sick man commenced coughing The passengers stood it for a little while, and then muttered exclamations of disgust became frequent The cough seemed to become more violent as the night passed away, and none of the men in the room could sleep a wink But the equanimity of the fat little fellow was wonderful He did not utter a word of complaint, but with his head muffled up in a blanket lay silent on the floor all night The others sat up and gathered together, and exchanged grumblings to which the steady cough of the sick man formed a never ceasing refrain 'I would like to have a disposition like that fat man,' said one passenger ' He's an awful kind little fellow ' said another and so the talk went About daybreak the sick man, tired out ceased coughing and fell into a sleep of exhaustion No sooner was his regular breathing heard than the blanket of the good natured man was cast to the other end of the room he sprang up and in earnest and almost enthusiastic tones exclaimed, 'Thank heaven he s dead at last Now we ll get a sleep

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Practice versus Theory.

The theory of disease accepted by physicians is that symptoms are merely sympathetic indications of its existence which have in most instances little or nothing to do with fixing its locality Their practice however is diametrically opposed to their theory for they administer medicines which affect symptoms only The remarkable cures of dyspepsia sick headache constipation rheumatism general debility urinary and kidney troubles and malarial fevers wrought by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters could never have been accomplished by remedies which addressed themselves merely to the removal of any one of the manifold and complicated symptoms to which those maladies give rise Acting as the Bitters do directly upon the stomach and tributary organs overcoming their irregularities and allowing the entire system renewed vigor they control as it were the springs of vitality purifying and strengthening them from their unsound and depressing all this I [illegible] symptoms which proceeded from their irregular action [illegible]

Justice at Last

The public were for long advance of the medical profession in recognizing HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR as a specific for consumption coughs and colds but at last the Faculty are doing justice to this great antagonist and conqueror of pulmonary diseases The country druggists generally report that the local physicians are prescribing it in preference to all the old pulmonics and that the result is an immense increase in the percentage of cures

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MARY, QUEEN OF SCOTS

LONDON, March 30—The defenders of the memory and character of Mary Queen of Scots will now have occasion to again gird on their armor. Under the title of "A Lost Chapter in the History of Mary Queen of Scots Recovered," Dr John Stuart of Edinburgh, has related a new story of the events connected with the marriage of Bothwell with Lady Jane Gordon, his divorce from that lady and his marriage with the Queen, and the subsequent life of his divorced wife down to her death in 1629. After her divorce, to which she was a consenting party, she married the Earl of Sutherland, who had himself been divorced, and it was among the family papers of the present Earl of Sutherland that Dr Stuart discovered, after it had been missing for three centuries, the most important of the papers on which his story is based—that is, the Papal dispensation for the marriage of Bothwell and Lady Jane Gordon, who were cousins. This dispensation was granted on the 17th of February, 1566, by the Archbishop of St Andrews, and sets forth that although the parties were connected in double fourth degrees of consanguinity, liberty was granted to them to marry. Bothwell, however, was at this time claimed as a husband by two other women—one a Danish lady, the other Janet Betoun, who was afterward the lady of Buccleugh. However, the marriage was solemnized on the 22d of February, 1566, at the court but not by a Roman Catholic priest. The lady was a Catholic, Bothwell was a Protestant, and the dispensation was needed only to satisfy the scruples of the lady. If the Queen knew of the existence of the dispensation, then she knew that the marriage was a lawful one in the eye of the church, and that her own subsequent marriage with Bothwell was illegal and void. Dr Stuart brings forward many proofs to show that she must have had this knowledge. The proofs are strong, but they are perhaps not conclusive. However, in three weeks after occurred the murder of Rizzio, then Darnley was killed, and then Bothwell wished to marry the Queen. To do this it was necessary for him to get rid of his wife, and she was quite willing, and it was arranged between them that each should get a divorce from each other. But trickery and concealment now came into play, for the Catholic wife went before a Protestant court, proved the adultery of her husband with one of her servant-maids, and obtained her divorce, while the Protestant husband applied to a Catholic tribunal, and, concealing the fact that the marriage had been solemnized by virtue of a dispensation, obtained a decree dissolving it on the ground of relationship within the prohibited degrees. Affairs were in such confusion in Scotland at this time that no record seems to have been kept by the Catholic authorities, and everything went at haphazard. The sentence declaring the marriage null was pronounced on May 7, 1567,—only a little more than a year after it had been celebrated,—and the marriage between Bothwell and Mary immediately followed. The important point, as regards Mary, is whether she knew of the dispensation, and Dr Stuart gives it as his opinion that she was aware of it. But it is clear, at least, that Lady Jane Gordon did know of it, as it was obtained at her request. She was a devout Catholic and remained so until her death, but she not only herself obtained a divorce from her husband on the ground of his adultery, but married again during his life. The truth seems to be that the Catholics in Scotland at that time were very much at sea,—deprived to a great extent of their religious guides,—and tempted in a thousand ways to make compromises and shipwrecks of their faith.

OBJECTIONS TO EDUCATION.—The San Antonio (Texas) *Herald* tells this story. Some years ago emigrants from Ohio and Illinois settled in a little town in this State and soon began to agitate for the erection of a school-house and the employment of a teacher. A town-meeting was called to consider the proposition, and one of the Northerners made a neat little speech, telling of the blessings which education had brought with it in Ohio and Illinois. When he had sat down an old man in the corner arose, gave the customary hitch to his corduroys, pushed back his hat a trifle, and answered thus: "Stranger, up in yer Ohio State you've got a big penitentiary full of people; h'aint yer? Well, yer've got larnin' up thar! Up in yer Illinois State yer've got a big penitentiary full of people. Yer've got larnin' thar! But I've lived here for thirty-seven years in peace and happiness. I've raised nine boys and ten gals and I sleep perfectly sound o' night, cos I ain't 'fraid any of my boys 'll go to the penitentiary for forgin' notes, 'cos they can't none of 'em write!" [Sensation in the audience and sympathy manifested.] Another of the new-comers then spoke, arguing in favor of education, and then a tall, lank native stood up and made his speech: "See here, mister, ain't you the machine man?" "Yes," said he, "I did sell some machines here last year." "Wa'al, when the wheat got ripe, all the people went to neighbor Johnson's to see how yer mowin' machine would operate. We got the tarnel thing into the field, and neighbor Johnson he hitched his young filly into the shafts. She allers was a fractious critter, and the first thing we knowed she give a flounce and caught neighbor Johnson's boy Bill's leg an' cut it clean orf! [Manifest sensation.] Then, mister, in just about two weeks yer pardner come round peddlin' wooden legs, and neighbor Johnson had to buy one of them 'ere things. Nice educated people you are! You understand it, you do! First you sell the machines, and then yer pardner he furnishes wooden legs!" This ended the matter, and no schoolmaster will be welcomed in that village for some time to come.

DEATH OF A MAN WHO OFFERED $1,000,000 FOR LINCOLN'S ASSASSINATION.—On the morning of the 8th of April, at 5 o'clock, it was announced in the streets of Selma that Colonel George W Gayle was dead. Geo W. Gayle was a man of more than ordinary talent. Admitted to the bar at Cahaba, then the county seat of Dallas county, Alabama, in 1832, he soon ranked at the front of his profession. For the last twenty years he has been on the down grade caused by dissipation. He was very eccentric and was always playing pranks. In 1864 he had inserted in the Cahaba *Gazette* $1,000,000 reward for the assassination of President Lincoln. He was not worth as many cents. This reward was not over Gayle's signature. But few months passed after this when the world was wrapped by electric flashes of the terrible deed having been done. Soon the war closed. The editors of the Cahaba *Gazette* were arrested because of the reward offered in their columns. In the examination Gayle was found to be the man who offered the reward. Gayle was arrested, and confined about one year in Fortress Monroe. He was, however, mainly through the intercession of his wife, released by President Johnson. During his confinement in Fortress Monroe he became partially paralyzed in his lower limbs, from which he never recovered.

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In the monetary line our home market develops no new features and manifests but little calling for comment. The degree of prudence in commercial and financial activity [illegible] progress [illegible] as we have heard it the [illegible] business affairs as in the matter [illegible] for some time [illegible] than we have had [illegible] to witness a full harvest of prosperity in monetary and commercial circles for the next year. The quietness before noted in the demand for monetary favors still prevails and most all classes of lenders are more or less inquirers for opportunities of investment. The heavy outlay necessary to move our large crops of last year was furnished and the market [illegible] passed almost through the season and [illegible] not exhibited at any time any general scarcity of available funds.

A recent report of the comptroller of the treasury shows an improved condition of the national finances which will aid in restoring confidence in the breasts of business men and stimulating the commercial and industrial enterprises of the country to no small extent. These evidences of prosperity derive greater weight from the fact that there has been a material contraction in the currency since the passage of the act of Congress of Jan 14 1875 fixing a date for the resumption of specie payment and providing for the withdrawal of 80 per cent in greenbacks for all the new bank currency authorized and also for the redemption of worn and mutilated currency. The latter provision alone causes, it is said, a practical contraction of the currency to the amount of $6,000,000. It is said that $2,000,000 are constantly in course of assortment in the redemption bureau, $2,000,000 on their way to the bureau and $2,000,000 of new notes on their way to those who have sent the amount in worn or mutilated currency. The total amount of old currency redeemed in this way since the organization of the bureau last July is stated at nearly $100,000,000. It is in the interest of New York to send in all mutilated currency which comes to its banks since greenbacks are remitted in exchange with which the gold is handled. A constant draft is thus made upon the country banks and a healthful circulation of the currency is thus maintained.

Home Produce Market

WHEAT—It is pretty evident that but little more will be done in this cereal until another harvest. The few lots now accessible are held at $1 per bushel at which no shipper is willing to venture for speculative purposes and as there is only one vessel now loading with the cereal [illegible] no urgency is felt that buyers cannot survive till [illegible] time being. The current rate here may be given at $1 [illegible] cental.

FLOUR—The shipments during the past few weeks have been very heavy and stocks here are considerably reduced. There appears to have been some vacillation in the market quite recently, one agent is holding extra brands at $4 50 and others holding the same quality at $4 75 ₩ barrel, but a happy (for holders) compromise now seems to have been effected and an advance has been marked on all brands of extra standard, of 50 cents ₩ barrel. We therefore quote jobbing rates at $5 ₩ bbl, outside $4 25 and superfine, $4.

OATS—As will be seen elsewhere a number of small lots are being shipped and it seems that the stocks are being cleaned out in anticipation of a decline. Receipts during a day or two past have been very light. Quotations are weaker at 60 cents ₩ bushel in sacks.

BARLEY—But little is coming forward and quotations are nominally as at our last report, $1 [illegible] ₩ cental, according to quality.

MILL FEED—[illegible] scarcity and the few lots in market are held at $15@16 per ton for bran, $22 50@25 for shorts, chops, middlings, etc $30, oil cake, $30.

HAY—Prices are not changed since our last report. Good timothy is in moderate request at $10@$12 per ton.

POTATOES—New California are in the market and trade in the old crop of Oregon is declining with only an occasional lot offering at 75 cents per bushel.

ONIONS of the old crop are scarcer and choice lots bring $2 75@2 ₩ 100 lbs.

APPLES RIPE—But few choice lots are offering and such are quotable at $1 ₩ box, common 60@75c, loose mixed and specked 50c.

APPLES DRIED—There is no active inquiry but lots offering are quickly placed at 5@6c ₩ lb.

BACON—There is a good demand for choice lots and good side meats sell at 14c ₩ lb. Hams of ordinary brands are quotable at 13@15 cents ₩ lb and shoulders 8@9c.

LARD is also in fair request at 16 cents ₩ lb in kegs or tins.

BUTTER—The receipts are improving in quantity and prices are weaker than at last report. The quotations as usual range with the quality, good dairy 30@35c ₩ lb, common roll [illegible], and in boxes and kegs solid 20@22c.

CHEESE—There are no changes in quotations. Good State dairy cheese quotable at 15 cts ₩ lb.

EGGS—The jobbing price in some quarters to day is 18 cents per dozen, but shippers will pay no more than 16 cents to which price all are liable to drop to morrow if receipts are important. We hear of some very bad lots coming to market recently.

BEEF CATTLE—Live cattle in fair condition are quotable at 2½@3c ₩ lb on foot, or dressed at 5@6c.

HIDES AND FURS—There is a good trade being carried on by local buyers and shippers. Beef hides are quotable for choice dry 16@17c ₩ lb, green salted 7c, green 6c, culls 10@12c, elk 18@20c per lb, deer 18@25c ₩ lb dried, and 50@75c apiece green, mink skins each, $1@1 50, otter $[illegible], beaver, 75c@$1.

WOOL—We learn that buyers in the interior of the State are paying 25c ₩ lb for choice lots which is about as good as is offered here unless for extra well prepared for the market. Ordinary to inferior quotable at 22@25 and some lots as low as 18c ₩ pound.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Ajax hence for San Francisco sailed at 6 o'clock this evening.

The steamship Gussie Telfair sailed for Victoria and Port Townsend this evening at 6 o'clock.

The barkentine Portland went down to St Helen this morning where she will load with lumber.

San Francisco Markets

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO May 13—Flour—Extra $5 [illegible]
Wheat—Good milling $1 75@1 80
Barley—$1 45@1 50, brewing $1 60@1 [illegible]
Oats—$2 0[illegible]@2 20
Hay—$12@18
Potatoes—Old $2@2 [illegible], new $2 50@3 [illegible]

EXPORTS.

Per steamship *Ajax* for San Francisco dispatched May 13th by the O S S Co [illegible] sks flour, 4 [illegible] sks oats, 377 bxs eggs, 35 bxs apples, 77 sks potatoes, 2 cs bacon, 72 bdls hoops, 60 bbls oil, 7 pkgs household goods, 17 hf bbls and 10 bxs dried plums, 17 pkgs mdse, 1 soda fountain, 5 trunks, 1 cs cigars, 1 cs shoes, 7 bales furs, 14 bdls deer skins, 30 bales dry calf skins, 3 bales dry and 4 bales salt sheep skins, 4 elk hides, 73 green and 1 000 dry hides.

Per steamship *Gussie Telfair* dispatched May 13th by the O S S Co for Victoria, 663 sks flour, 400 sks bran, 15 bales oatmeal, 23 sks chop feed, 16 bushels wheat, 37 sks oats, 4 cs bacon and hams, 2 cs lard and 1 bbl whisky. For Port Townsend 1 reapers and 43 pkgs miscellaneous mdse.

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Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of a Warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, dated May 11th 1875, commanding me to levy upon lot Number one (1) in Block 76 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to thirty one 60/100 dollars ($31 60) for the improvement of Front streets between Morrison and Salmon streets. I have this day levied upon said Lot one in Block 76 and on SATURDAY the 12th day of June 1875 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said City of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, I will sell said lot to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin.

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police

Portland May 13 1875 my14dwit

Chief of Police Sale

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of a Warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland dated May 11th 1875 commanding me to levy upon Lot Number two in Block 76 in the City of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to sixteen 05/100 dollars (16 05) for the improvement of Front street between Morrison and Salmon streets. I have this day levied upon said Lot two (2) in Block 76 and on SATURDAY the 12th day of June 1875 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said City of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot 2 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U S Gold and Silver coin.

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police

Portland May 13 1875 my14dwit

Ordinance No. 1644.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CONstruction of a Wharf in the Willamette River in front of and opposite the southerly portion of block No 4 Couch's Addition.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The owner of lots one and two in Block four Couch's Addition is hereby authorized and permitted to construct a wharf of piles and timber in the Willamette River commencing at a point about 100 feet easterly from the line of North Front street on the boundary of lots two and three in block four, thence easterly to a point about 80 feet from said starting point, thence southerly to the intersection of the center line of D street on a line with the wharf recently built by G H Flanders et al, thence westerly along said center line of D street to a point about 100 feet from the said easterly line of North Front street, thence northerly to the place of beginning.

The lower floor of said wharf to be as near ten feet above the base of grades as practicable.

Section 2. The upper story or floor of said wharf shall not extend easterly beyond the line of the lower wharf or beyond the line of the block except for a passage way fifteen feet in width along the north side line of D street, provided that said passage way shall be constructed as a sidewalk and with those portions of said wharf extending over and into the street shall be subject to regulation by the Common Council as a part of the street, and *provided* further that there shall be a suitable trap for fire purposes in the lower roadway to be kept clear and in order by the owner of said wharf.

Passed the Common Council April 21 1875.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved April 24 1875.

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1646

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIAtion out of the Police Fund to carry into effect the provisions of Ordinance No 922.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. In order to provide for the more effectual enforcement of Ordinance No 922, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the working of prisoners," the sum of five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Police Fund for the payment of an extra policeman to be detailed for the guarding of prisoners while at work.

Passed the Common Council April 21 1875.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved April 24 1875.

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COpartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and style of METZGER & STEEL and carried on at the Portland Glue Factory has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr Steel retires from the business which will hereafter be carried on by D Metzger at the same place, who will pay all demands against the late firm and who is one authorized to collect debts due the same.

Dated at Portland this [illegible] day of May A D 1875.

D METZGER
WILLIAM STEEL

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between Fred Eberhardt and Wm Mast under the firm name of EBERHARDT & MAST is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Fred Eberhardt will continue the business at the old stand. Either partner is authorized to collect and settle the outstanding account.

FRED EBERHARDT
WM MAST

Portland May 13 1875 my13d1t

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Ordinance No. 1645.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION out of the General Fund for pay of Police [illegible]

The City of Portland does ordain as follows: [illegible] dollars [illegible] hereby appropriated out of the Police [illegible] for the payment of the following named [illegible] for services as Police [illegible]

A [illegible] dollars
O Bishop one hundred and fifty six dollars
W P Burke [illegible] dollars
C Holman eighteen dollars

Passed the Common Council April [illegible] 1875.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved April [illegible] 1875.

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1629.

AN ORDINANCE TO [illegible] THE IMprovement of [illegible] street between Ash and Washington streets.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows: [illegible]

Passed the Common Council May 7 1875.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved May 10 1875.

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1630.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving that part of F street lying between the west line of North First street and the plank roadway in North Fourth street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of F street lying between the west line of North First street and the plank roadway in North Fourth street shall be completed on or before the [illegible] of July 1875.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions (plank roadway and sidewalk of the proper width and grade only excepted). If such obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the superintendent of streets they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of grading, laying sidewalks, planking the entire roadway and intersections with box gutters across the intersections.

Section 4. The grading and planking of the roadway and intersections shall conform as near as practicable to the provisions of Sections No 1 and 7 of Ordinance No [illegible], entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving that part of F street lying between North Fourth and North Sixth streets."

Section 5. The provisions of sections 7, 11 and [illegible] of Ordinance No [illegible] entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the manner of improving streets" shall apply to the manner of laying the sidewalks, and to all lumber and material used in the improvement provided for by this Ordinance.

Section 6. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from care[less]ness or neglect.

Section 7. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Section 8. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council May 7 1875.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved May 10 1875.

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1631.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIAtion out of the General Fund.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The sum of two hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund to provide for repairs to streets and to provide for [illegible] repairs to bridges and for incidental expenses connected with the improvement and repairs of streets not otherwise provided for.

Passed the Common Council May 7 1875.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved May 10 1875.

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1632.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving that part of First street lying between the south line of Ash street and the center line of Alder street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of First street lying between the south line of Ash street and the center line of Alder street shall be commenced on or after the [illegible] day of July 1875 as practical, and completed as herein provided for, on or before the 15th day of October 1875.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all planks, timber or other obstacles or obstructions excepting sidewalks of the proper width and grade, that are in good condition. If the planks, timber or other obstacles are not removed by the owner of the adjacent property within three days after receiving notice from the superintendent of streets, the same shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of laying Nicholson pavement, sidewalks and aprons and constructing catch basins where necessary, the work to be done and the materials furnished to conform as near as practicable to the provisions of sections [illegible] of Ordinance No [illegible] entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving Front street from the center of Washington street [illegible] street except that portion [illegible] street occupied by the Street Railway [illegible] the roadway shall be covered with a layer of sand [illegible] thick, and that the covering plank for all new sidewalks shall be three inches in thickness.

Section 4. The Portland Street Railway Co are hereby directed to improve that portion of First street occupied by their track lying between the south line of Ash street and the center line of Alder street so as to correspond with the plan in [illegible].

Section [illegible]. All materials furnished by the contractor [illegible] work [illegible] approved [illegible] shall be [illegible] that improper materials [illegible] afterwards discovered [illegible] work has been done [illegible] taken up and replaced with good material laid down in a workmanlike manner at the contractor's expense.

Section [illegible]. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress and shall be responsible for any loss or accident occasioned by carelessness or neglect.

Section [illegible]. The contractor or contractors shall give security in such sum as the Committee on Streets and Public Property shall determine for the faithful performance of the work and also to hold the city [illegible] against all claims for [illegible].

Section [illegible]. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to receive proposals [illegible] and [illegible] contract [illegible] lowest responsible bidder [illegible].

Passed the Common Council May 7 1875.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved May 10 1875.

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Fourth Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland [illegible] that part of Fourth street lying between the [illegible] line of [illegible] street and [illegible] line of Jefferson street by [illegible] sidewalks, crosswalks and planking streets where necessary.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

May 11 1875 my11d10t

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F. A. CHENOWETH,
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REMOVAL.

DR ALFRED KINNEY has removed his Office and Residence to the Northwest corner of Alder and East Park streets (double house) where he can be found at any time. nowlmdtf

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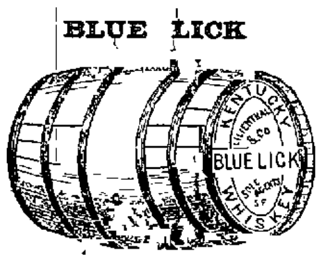

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Portland May 8 1875 my10td

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JNO M DRAKE Sec'y O C M R Co

Portland May 1875. my1td

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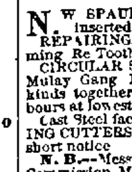

623 KEARNY STREET, San Francisco. [illegible] 1854 for [illegible] Gonorrhea [illegible] Syphilis [illegible] Weakness [illegible] Diseases [illegible] Ulcerated [illegible]

DR. GIBBON has the pleasure [illegible] he has returned from his [illegible] tals of Europe, and has resumed [illegible] pensary 623 Kearney [illegible] San Francisco where he [illegible] quiring his services may [illegible]. The Doctor has spared [illegible] seeking out new remedies [illegible] increased facilities for the [illegible] fering.

Horrible Diseases.

[illegible]

Seminal Weakness.

[illegible]

Cure [illegible]

[illegible]

A BOOK FOR THE MILLION!
MARRIAGE GUIDE.
[illegible]

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE DISTRICT COURT [illegible] States for the District of Oregon [illegible] signee of his appointment [illegible] At the city of Portland, the 3d [illegible] 1875 the undersigned hereby [illegible] appointment as assignee of [illegible] Baum of Scio in the county of [illegible] Oregon within said District [illegible] judged Bankrupt upon [illegible] District Court of said District.

JOSEPH [illegible]

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Wells, Fargo & Co's Express

HAVING ESTABLISHED [illegible] parts of Oregon, Washington [illegible] ritories we are prepared to [illegible] and Forwarding business in all [illegible]. Freight or Packages will be [illegible] the city (by giving proper notice) [illegible] with dispatch to any part of [illegible] own and connecting Expresses [illegible] rates.

COLLECTIONS MADE and [illegible] chase of Goods etc. etc., will receive [illegible] tention.

We shall continue to DRAW EXCHANGE on all the principal cities of the U [illegible] Canadas and Europe and to sell [illegible] EXCHANGE when desired.

WELLS [illegible]

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

PUBLIC READING ROOM.

LOCAL AND EASTERN PAPERS AND MAGazines—a warm comfortable [illegible] citizen or stranger—especially you [illegible] always welcome.

Noon meetings daily except Sunday [illegible] 1 P M.

Room No 1 over Ladd & Tilton's Bank [illegible] Stark and First streets.

W C CHATTIN, General Secretary

COPARTNERSHIP.

I HAVE THIS DAY ASSOCIATED WITH ME Mr JOHN WINTZER late of Philadelphia, as equal partner in my Oregon Bakery [illegible] will be continued under the firm name of DUTZ & WINTZER. A continuance of my former patronage and a call from the public generally [illegible].

F DUTZ.

Portland May 1 1875.

Persons knowing themselves indebted [illegible] urgently requested to call and settle balances [illegible].

Office of the Life Association of America

ST LOUIS, April [illegible] 1875.

In accordance with the provisions [illegible] of the Charter an election for five [illegible] General Board of Directors to serve [illegible] three years, will be held at the [illegible] St. Louis, Mo, on Tuesday, the [illegible] 1875.

The Polls will be open from [illegible] o'clock P M.

H. W. [illegible], President
J B PIERCE, Secretary.

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The Disabled Metropolis

NEW YORK, May 14—The steamer [illegible] rived this morning from Duck Island [illegible] tow. Her engines are in good condition [illegible] yond some injury to her mast, the ve[ssel] [illegible] jured.

Suspension of a Bank.

A private dispatch from Rio Janeiro [illegible] tional Bank has suspended.

The Pope's Birthday.

NEW YORK, May 14—A special dispatch [illegible] Rome states that the Pope's birthday [illegible] was celebrated with extraordinary [illegible] Deputations letters and congratulations [illegible] throughout the day. The twelve preceding [illegible] reached the age of 83. Pio Nono alone [illegible] the years of St. Peter in his chair.

Secret Chamberman.

The Marquis of Stackpoole has been [illegible] Secret Chamberman.

Frauds in Silk Operations

The investigation of the operations [illegible] called silk conspirators show that of the [illegible] on market in the city the Government [illegible] prived of a million and a half dollars.

Specie Shipments.

NEW YORK, May 14—Specie engagements [illegible] morrow's steamer is $1,500,000 gold coin.

Rupture Between Pacific Mail &

There seems to have been an [illegible] tween the Panama and Pacific [illegible] The Panama Co. has discharged [illegible] sideration the freights, and the [illegible] gers don't seem disposed to gran[t]

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, May 14—Gold closed 15⅞ [illegible] Governments active and strong [illegible] active but irregular. The stocks market [illegible] effect of the rupture between Panama [illegible] Mail and there was a marked [illegible] a weak feeling. The greatest [illegible] ma, which fell off 6½ per [illegible] made as low as 133. Union [illegible] Pacific Mail to 40. The [illegible] prices W. U., 71⅞ [illegible] Mail, 40⅜ W. F., 94 [illegible] Erie, 27⅞ Panama [illegible] Union bonds, 100⅜ Ce[ntral] [illegible]

Panama and Pacific Mail [illegible]

NEW YORK, May 14—The [illegible] their meeting rejected the [illegible] Pacific Mail Company. The differences [illegible] the two companies relate to the character [illegible] in which settlement shall be made, [illegible] tions on passengers and baggage over [illegible] Railroad.

Why Rev. Mr. Bacon Refused [illegible] with Bowen.

NEW YORK, May 14—Rev. Geo [illegible] ter to the editor of the *Tribune*, [illegible] cumstances of his refusal to ser[ve] [illegible] Bowen on the board of trustees [illegible] Congregational Union, he says [illegible] [illegible]

The Erie Railroad [illegible]

CHICAGO, May 14—The [illegible] [illegible] million.

Sale of N. P. [illegible]

CHICAGO, May 14—The [illegible] [illegible]

The Advent of the [illegible]

CHICAGO, May 14—Reports [illegible] nesota, Missouri, Kansas [illegible] grasshoppers are already devast[ating] [illegible]

More of the Distillery [illegible]

CHICAGO, May 14—The [illegible] [illegible] The Pekin Alcohol Co. and [illegible] ment was seized at Pekin, Ill., [illegible] terday.

Lumber Mills Bu[rned]

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 14—The extensive [illegible] the Columbus Lumber and Barrel Co[mpany] [illegible] burned this morning. Loss, $23,000, [illegible] $10,000.

Sentence of an Embezzling Po[stmaster]

MONTGOMERY, May 14—Chas. D[illegible] master of Union Springs was found [illegible] bezzling money from letters. It was [illegible] district attorney who states there were [illegible] circumstances the least sentence was [illegible] months in prison and a fine. Davis [illegible] of the legislature in 1872.

The Strikers Force Men to Stop [illegible]

TYRONE, Pa. May 14—About half [illegible] Powelton mines were compelled by [illegible] stop work last night.

Sing Sing Convicts Seize a Locomotive [illegible] Escape.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 14—While [illegible] attached to a freight train going to New [illegible] was passing through the arch at Sing [illegible] prison this morning four convicts jum[ped] [illegible]

Fights Between the Police and [illegible]

LYON, Pa. May 14—Fifty men went to [illegible] Sterling mines this morning [illegible] [illegible]

An Editor Captured by Strikers

L G Conti, editor of *L'Italia* who [illegible] was captured by the strikers at Tyro[ne] [illegible] Italians determined to put them at [illegible] proper [illegible] so suppress outrages.

The Turf.

BOSTON, May 14—The trotting race [illegible] Park closed to-day with the most hotly [illegible] race of the season. It required seven [illegible] cide the struggle.

The Proposed Jetty at the Mouth of the Mississippi.

NEW ORLEANS, May 14—The revenue [illegible] with Capt Eads, J P Bofling [illegible] drews and others on board left New [illegible] P M. The engineers in making sound[ings] [illegible] the proposed jetty and find 8½ ft [illegible] It is the opinion of the parties that the [illegible] prove a perfect success.

Hanging of a Murderer

CHARLESTON, May 14—Josh Frazer [illegible] hanged at Camden to day for the murder [illegible] Cooper in December last. He was convicted [illegible] cumstantial evidence and afterwards [illegible] crime, on the scaffold to-day he confessed [illegible] murdered his wife and child and a neg[ro] [illegible] and burned many barns and houses.

A Street Railway President in [illegible]

PHILADELPHIA, May 14—The *Evening* [illegible] says it is alleged by reliable parties [illegible] Fry, president of the Philadelphia [illegible] Spruce and Pine streets railway com[pany] [illegible] made an over issue of Darby stock of [illegible] 20,000 shares. Fry, whom these all[egations] [illegible]